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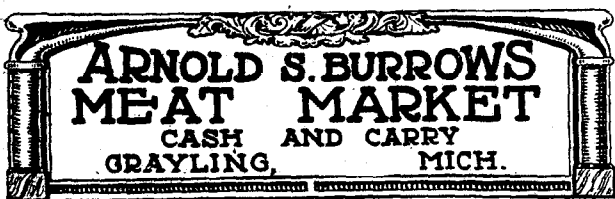
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We would like to have you come and see
The Meats We Sell Are The Very Best

We would like to have you
MAKE THE TEST!



NOTICE

On and after July 1, 1920, all our business will be transacted on a strictly cash basis, and all coal will be collected for by deliveryman at time of delivery. All orders now on hand will be delivered at the price taken but terms are cash on delivery. All customers having unfilled orders with us, please notify us at once if this is not satisfactory. tf.

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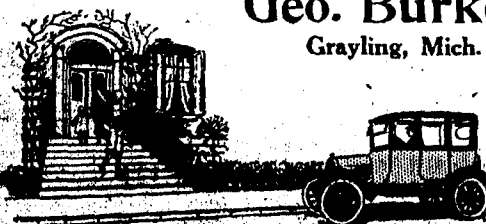
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Geo. Burke
Grayling, Mich.



CRAWFORD COUNTY FARM BUREAU

COUNTY ORGANIZATION COMPLETED HERE LAST FRIDAY.

Chalker Elected Pres., Scott Vice Pres., Failing Sec'y and Treas.

A county farm bureau, as announced in a recent edition of the Avalanche, was in the process of formation and last week Friday found that organization complete with officers, a constitution and a set of by-laws.

The newly elected officers are as follows:
President, Edwin S. Chalker.
Vice president, Oliver B. Scott.
Secretary and treasurer, Allen B. Failing.

The organization shall be controlled by an executive committee consisting of six members in addition to the president and vice president, all of whom shall be elected by the board of delegates in the annual meetings which shall be held on the second Saturdays in November of each year, in the court house in the village of Grayling, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Following are the delegates elected for the ensuing year:

Edward Kellogg, Lovells.
Rufus Edmonds, Maple Forest.
Geo. Sheldon, Frederic.
John Love, Beaver Creek.
John Brockman, Grayling.
Hugo Schreiber, South Branch.

The work of the organization was aided by the presence and efforts of Mr. Carr, of Bedford, Barry County, Mich. In speaking of the Farm Bureau Mr. Carr stated the following:

"The Farm Bureau is not the farmers as a class organizing in a selfish way simply for themselves as we do not believe in classes being arrayed against each other, but we are against a system."

"No honest business man has aught to fear from the Farm Bureau, but let the speculator beware."

"The Farm Bureau is not a political organization, but is going to keep a close watch on legislative action in order that the policies may be made cleaner in the U. S."

"All officers in the Farm Bureau must be 'actual farmers' so to sum it all up the Farm Bureau is the American farmer organized for business."

"This movement has the support of all the thinking men and women of the country, who realize that the farmer organized will exert a great stabilizing influence during the reconstruction days ahead."

BRISKET WITH ONION SAUCE.

Wipe the meat with a damp cloth, and tie it into a compact shape with strips of cloth. Place it in a deep kettle with boiling water (or part of the stock if possible). Add a soup bunch, several cloves and peppercorns. Simmer until tender, add salt when partly cooked. Take the meat from the liquid, remove the cloth, and place it in a shallow baking dish. Beat one egg and spread over the beef, then sprinkle with coarse crumbs, and brown under a flame or in a hot oven.

For sauce—for a three-pound piece of meat—cut up half a cup of green onions and cook these with two tablespoons of butter or butter substitute. Brown slightly. Stir in two tablespoons of flour, add a cup and one-half from the stock of brisket, and a tablespoon of minced parsley. Keep the sauce over the hot water, or in a double boiler, until the meat is finished. Pour the sauce over the meat and serve.

From left-over prepare beef croquettes for a family of five for the second meal.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

This is not an official notice of registration but is published in the interest of the community in general. The last regular day for registration of voters will be Saturday, August 14, at the L. J. Kraus hardware. The Township clerk will be there to wait upon you. Later than that anyone may register by applying to the clerk up to and including Saturday, August 21. Later than the 21st none may register in order to vote at the August 31st primary election. If you are already registered in the Township it will not be necessary to re-register. Don't neglect this matter. It is your privilege and also duty to vote.

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION.

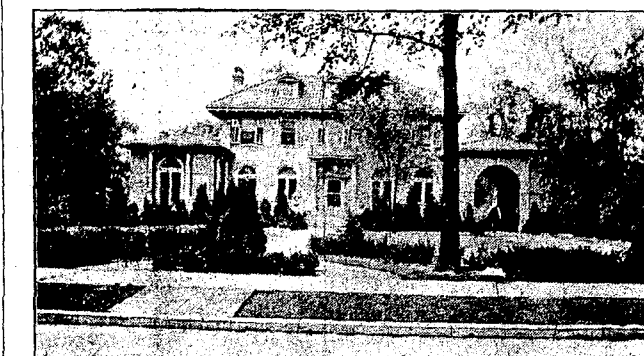
Notice is hereby given that the next regular Primary election in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, will be held in the Town hall in the Village of Grayling, Michigan, on Tuesday, August 31st, 1920. The polls will be open at 8:00 o'clock a. m. and close at 6:00 o'clock p. m. of said day. L. J. KRAUS, Township Clerk.

CARD OF THANKS.

We feel deeply grateful to the many friends for their kindness and sympathy so freely given during the time our son and brother Floyd was in Mercy Hospital and for the many beautiful floral offerings at his funeral. Kindly accept our warmest thanks.
Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bromwell,
Bernard and Fred and
Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson.

SAFETY FIRST FOR MICHIGAN BABIES.

How safe is your county to be born in? Every county and every large city knows where it stood last summer for the state health department has sent out comparisons showing how many babies per thousand living births died in 1919. Among counties the highest record for baby safety was won by Baraga and the lowest by Montmorency where the baby death rate (165 in 1,000 births)



NELS MICHELSON RESIDENCE, DETROIT.

This beautiful residence is the home and pride of one of Grayling's former pioneer citizens, Mr. Nels Michelson, located at 240 Boston boulevard, Detroit. The house is wonderful in architecture, completeness and comfort and is beautifully furnished. The beautiful yards abound in velvety lawns, shrubbery and playing fountains and in the rear are two luxurious gardens, one of flowers and another where the family table is supplied with fresh fruits and vegetables. Mr. Michelson may be seen near the right and didn't know he was being "took" as the camera was clicked by a recent Grayling visitor.

was over four times that of Baraga (40 in 1,000.)

In the four sections of the state the best and poorest records for counties were as follows:

Upper Peninsula—best, Baraga; poorest, Luce.

Northern (lower peninsula)—best, Alcona; poorest, Montmorency.

Central—best, Isabella, poorest, Midland.

Southern—best, Cass; poorest, Ingham.

Our county Crawford lost 109 in 1,000; Grayling lost 90 in 1,000.

First, second and third places among the cities fall to Manistee, Traverse City and Battle Creek. Port Huron has the highest death rate with Lansing following as close second. Detroit, with its million population, is 12th from the top, ten paces ahead of Alpena with a population of 11,001.

Of 83 counties, 43 had a higher rate of death than Kent and Manistee whose rate was 81 per thousand and births. "With the possible exception of Detroit with its million people, not one of these 43 counties," said State Health Commissioner Olin, "can feel that it has done its full duty until it has a rate at least as low as Kent's, with Michigan's second largest city, Grand Rapids. We shall be glad to send upon request the ranking of any inquirer's county and hope for a wholesome rivalry among counties during the hot days of this summer for first place in safety for babies. Any mother or expectant mother wishing information about the care of babies may obtain it by writing the state health department, Lansing."

POULTRY AND THE GRASSHOPPER PEST.

Last year when the grasshoppers were beginning to threaten parts of Western Michigan, W. F. Hartman, then industrial agent for the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad and T. F. Marston, secretary of Northern Michigan Development bureau, advised the farmers of Michigan that the cheapest and at the same time a profitable way of getting rid of the hoppers was to raise poultry, preferably turkeys, with ducks as the second best and chickens as first class workers.

Apparently the advice was not heeded to any extent as Western Michigan has lost hundreds of thousands of dollars through destruction of crops by hoppers this year and the insects are beginning to make themselves felt in some sections of Northern Michigan. Secretary Marston, who is also a farmer, found that the grasshoppers were becoming altogether too plentiful in his own fields and he decided to put the poultry plan to a test. Over 100 ducks have been purchased by him and he has been moved from one field to another and he is so satisfied with the results that he is going to increase his flock.

"By actual count a hungry duck will eat an average of 20 hoppers a minute," he said, "and they keep their work up steadily for over half an hour before resting and even then they don't resist any particularly juicy bug that happens to come their way. Suppose the ducks feed only four hours per day that means over 4,000 grasshoppers killed by each duck in one day, so you can see that my 100 are doing pretty good work. We have had all sorts of advice about 'vacuum cleaners' to gather up the insect, grasshopper traps and poisoning the fields, but these all take a lot of work and cost money while my ducks work for the love of the hopper and are piling up profits for me."

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Henry Uhlendorf, seeing he could not win his divorce suit against his wife, has decided to drop the case and has gone back to live with her.
Signed: Mrs. Lizzie Uhlendorf.

STATE AND DISTRICT CANDIDATES

THIRTEEN CANDIDATES OUT FOR GOVERNOR.

Some Candidates Slow in Filing Affidavit.

There is some nice grist of candidates for the office of governor.

The republican party furnishes eight while the other parties furnish one each.

William A. Harrington of Otsego county who wants to run for judge of the 24th judicial district claims that the Michigan primary law requiring affidavits of party affiliation is a violation of the state constitution in several particulars. Especially does it prevail in his case as the office he seeks is a judicial one and he claims that under no circumstances should it involve any "partisan political entanglement."

The candidates, however, who are known to be running for the several offices are as follows:

For Governor.
Horatio S. Earle, Rep.
Alexander Grosbeck, Rep.
James Hamilton, Rep.
Frank B. Leland, Rep.
Frederick C. Martindale, Rep.
Charles S. Mott, Rep.
Milo D. Campbell, Rep.
Luren D. Dickinson, Rep.

Woodbridge N. Ferris, Dem.
Benjamin Blumenburg, So.
John Y. Johnston, Pro.
Edward R. Markley, So. Labor.
Edward J. Jefferies, Farm Labor.

Lieutenant Governor.
Charles B. Sculley, Rep.
Thomas Read, Rep.
Guy M. Wilson, Dem.
Thomas H. Cox, So.
Frank A. Lutenbacher, So. L.
Edward L. Betts, F. L.

Representative in Congress.
Roy O. Woodruff, Rep.
Gilbert A. Currie, Rep.
David J. Lynch, Dem.
William W. Muir, Farm labor.

State Senator.
George Forman Roxburgh, Rep.
John Schmidt, Rep.
John M. Perry, Rep.
James S. Bicknell, Rep.
Duncan McRae, Rep.

State Legislature.
Nelson G. Farrier, Rep.

Circuit Judge.
Guy E. Smith, Rep.

The list of County candidates were published in our last week's edition.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT



GILBERT A. CURRIE
Republican Candidate for CONGRESS

Will appreciate your vote at the Primaries August 31.

ERNEST P. RICHARDSON
Republican Candidate for SHERIFF

I hereby announce to the people of Crawford County that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff.
Primary election August 31, 1920.
Ernest P. Richardson.

STRAYED.

One red muley steer 1 year old, has metal tag in bottom edge of right ear with S. B. Ardis' name on it. Also two black yearling heifers no particular marks on them. Finder please notify Godfrey Hirtzel and receive reward. Moorestown, Mich. 8-12-20.



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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Grayling, Michigan.
August 10, 1920.
Proceedings of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling.

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling, convened at the Court House, Monday evening, August 2, 1920. Meeting called to order by President Protem, C. A. Canfield. Trustees present: Joe Burton, Harry Simpson, Al. Roberts, George McCullough, C. A. Canfield.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

To the president and members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling: Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts respect-

fully recommends that the following bills be allowed as follows:

Douglas Brothers & Co., \$ 30.25
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending July 17th 65.50
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending July 24th 69.30
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending July 31st 102.75
Wm. Duclos, fire report 16.00
Wm. Duclos, expenses to firemen's convention 41.00

A. L. Roberts,
H. E. Simpson,
C. G. Canfield,
Committee.

Wm. Duclos made report on Firemen's convention. The report found favorable.
George N. Olson, Chris. Jensen, Village President. Village Clerk.

WANTED

Laborers and Operators
MALE HELP

Apply to
E. I. du Pont de Nemours
& Co., Grayling

Be Consistent

Look after your body just as carefully as you look after your Automobile. It is a living mechanical nerve machine liable to injury, which if neglected may be of Greater Consequence than the neglect of your car.

Are you a hundred per cent efficient in your business or profession? Is your earning capacity what you think it ought to be? In other words Are you at your best? If not have you ever asked yourself the reason why? Have you ever stopped to consider that Health is Man's Greatest Asset and Disease his Greatest liability.

Give the same careful consideration to the upkeep of your body as you do to your Automobile.

Have your Chiropractor look over your Physical Machine and get it put in Proper Adjustment.

Be Always at your Best. Be Consistent.

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The American Legion

(Copy for This Department Supplied by National Headquarters of the American Legion.)

TAKEN UNDER LEGION'S WING

More French Orphans Added to List to Receive Aid From Posts and Individuals.

Adopted During Week Ending July 10, 1920:
Sgt. Floyd C. Holub post, Milwaukee, Wis.
Star Post No. 127, Jamesburg, N. J.
"Member" Milton Post, Milton, Mass.
Previously Adopted: 8

Three more French war orphans have been taken under the Legion's wing by contributions of \$75 each from two posts and an individual "member" of another, as listed above, who asked that his name be withheld. The anonymous donor, in his letter transmitting a check which will care for one of the fatherless waifs a year under the Legion plan, says he "would be glad to have the privilege of being an adopted father another year if necessary."

The New Jersey post forwarded its contribution to the Legion's national treasurer, Robert H. Tyndall, through Thomas Goldingey, state adjutant, and expresses no preference as to the sex or age of its prospective protegee.

R. L. Jones, adjutant of the Milwaukee post, writes:
"At the last meeting of the post, the membership unanimously decided to adopt a little French orphan and would prefer a little girl. I am instructed to request of you, if possible, the little girl's picture and also her name and address in order that we may keep in touch with her from time to time."

"Luckily, there is a member of our post who is able to read and write French and therefore will have no trouble in corresponding with the little girl."

Advices from France are that 3,000 children, the keenest sufferers in the after-war distresses of the country, are threatened with actual want. Many were once the wards of A. E. F. outfits.

Posts of the Legion, or individual members or friends, may adopt a French war orphan for at least one year, contributing seventy-five dollars for the first year's support. The mascot assigned will be either orphans or the children of permanently disabled French veterans.

All of the money contributed will go to the child. The Red Cross bears all expenses of administration.

GIVES ACRE TO KANSAS POST

President Elgin Chapter, Red Cross, Makes Valuable Donation in Heart of Oil Fields.

An acre of ground at Elgin, Kan., donated by Mrs. Margaret Gunn, president of the Elgin chapter of the American Red Cross, to the Luther S. Hankinson post of the Legion, may prove an unusual asset and make the post the most independent financially, of any in the Legion. The land is in the heart of the Kansas oil fields. Wells have shot up all around it, and by sinking a shaft near the clubhouse it may be that the lucky Legionnaires will find themselves in possession of something mighty similar to a gold mine.

The post is the first one in Kansas to actually finance, build and equip its own clubhouse. It has only 135



MRS. MARGARET GUNN.

members, but State Adjutant Frank E. Samuel corroborates its claim for a place on the Roll of Honor, Class A, since its members have enrolled all but two ex-service persons in the entire community.

The clubhouse was built "barracks fashion," at a cost of only \$5,000, and contains a kitchen, dining room, billiard, reading and writing room, a gymnasium and a dance hall.

The post has a thriving unit of the women's auxiliary, many of the members of which donated the garb of Campfire girls and participated in the recent Decoration day ceremonies of the community.

Furnishes Club Rooms.
George Devoe Post No. 9 of Milbury, Mass., has spent \$1,000 for furnishing and decorating its clubrooms in the town hall building, and has a balance in the treasury of nearly \$1,000. The money was raised by a "tag day" and various dances and entertainments.

Air Lines and Lines.
"Do you keep airplane supplies?"
"Everything for the airplane."
"I want a road map of New England."

MILLER DID GOOD SERVICE

Chairman of National Legislative Committee Who Has Resigned, Proved Valuable to Legion.

The recently announced retirement of Thomas W. Miller of Delaware, as chairman of the National legislative committee of the American Legion, gives an opportunity of recounting the efforts by which one individual has done much to make the Legion what it is today.

Mr. Miller served as chairman of the committee for a full year. It was under his direction that such generous results were obtained as the passage of the Sweet and Darrow bills for betterment of the condition of the disabled ex-service men, and such marked progress was made in placing so thoroughly before congress the claims of all ex-service men for just compensation. All during last summer and autumn Mr. Miller handled alone all Legion legislative matters at Washington.



THOMAS W. MILLER.

ton, and before the Minneapolis convention he had succeeded in obtaining from congress an incorporation of the American Legion. In September he was joined by the other members of the legislative committee provided for by the convention.

Because of the pressure of his private business, which is the reason for Mr. Miller's retirement from this highly important Legion post, he placed his resignation in the hands of Mr. D'Oliver, the national commander, as early as last spring. At that time, however, he was prevailed upon to remain at his post until congress adjourned, because his committee was in the midst of its fight for legislation for the disabled and for congressional consideration of the four-fold optional plan of adjusted compensation.

John Thomas Taylor of Washington, D. C., a member of the committee since November, has been appointed chairman to fill out Mr. Miller's unexpired term.

Although Mr. Miller is only thirty-three years old, he has an unusual background of army service and experience in public life. He enlisted in the army as a private and came out of it a lieutenant colonel. Although he had attended the first Plattsburg school, he was unable to obtain admission to the first officers' training camp after war was declared because of a physical handicap. He was a first lieutenant before going overseas with the One Hundred and Fourteenth Infantry of the Twenty-Ninth division with which he served in France. He first became conspicuous in public life as the youngest member of the Sixty-Fourth congress, having been elected at the age of twenty-seven. Before that he had been secretary of the state of Delaware at twenty-six.

HOT ON BERGDOLL'S TRAIL

Effort Will Be Made to Have Alleged Slacker's Aero Pilot's Certificate Cancelled.

Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, arch-slacker and fugitive from justice for whose apprehension rewards aggregating \$5,056 have been offered, holds pilot certificate No. 109 in the Aero Club of America and representations for its cancellation will be made at once, it was announced at Legion national headquarters recently.

The first intimation that Bergdoll held a license in the club was contained in a letter to Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the Legion, from Kenneth W. Hantz, a member of Frank Luke, Jr. post, American Legion, of Phoenix, Ariz.

Mr. Bolles has written, in part, as follows:

"I have no hesitancy in expressing my conviction that, as soon as the facts become public, there will be an overwhelming sentiment among Legion members and the public generally for the cancellation of Bergdoll's certificate, under present circumstances, would constitute a grave insult to the memory of our heroic aviator comrades who gave their lives to uphold the honor of the flag which Bergdoll and his kind would delight in desecrating."

"I trust national headquarters will be advised shortly Bergdoll's name has been stricken from the rolls of your estimable organization and that one more substantial black mark has been chalked up against this slacker's name."

Official Business.

A returned doughboy was whistling loudly in the lobby of an exclusive hotel when the late manager appeared. "Here you," he remonstrated. "Don't you know it's against the rules of this hotel to whistle?"

"That ain't an ordinary whistle," objected the soldier. "I'm piping the mascot of my outfit."

Increases Membership.

Harry E. Everett Post No. 11, Monks, Kan., recently increased its membership approximately 100 per cent.

FIVE MINUTE CHATS ABOUT OUR PRESIDENTS

By JAMES MORGAN

PRESIDENT FOR A MONTH

1773—February 9, birth of William Henry Harrison at Berkeley, Va.
1791—Entered the army.
1801-14—Governor of territory of Indiana.
1811—Battle of Tippecanoe.
1816-19—Member of congress.
1819-21—Member of Ohio senate.
1825-28—United States senator.
1828-29—Minister to Colombia.
1836—Candidate for president.
1841—March 4, inaugurated ninth president, aged 68. April 4, died in the White House, aged 68.

JOHN TYLER

1790—March 29, John Tyler born in Charles City, Va.
1827-36—United States senator.
1840—Elected vice president.
1841—April 6, became tenth president, aged 51.
1845—March 3, signed joint resolution for annexation of Texas.
1861—President of the peace convention in Washington. Elected to Confederate congress.
1862—Jan. 17, died in Richmond, Va., aged 71.

ALTHOUGH William Henry Harrison was elected to the presidency as the log-cabin candidate, in the first of our frenzied, parading campaigns, he was born to one of "the first families of Virginia." In a manner house on the banks of the aristocratic James. As a son of Benjamin Harrison, signer of the Declaration, with the blood of Pocahontas in his veins, and as a descendant of a Cromwellian colonel who signed the death warrant of a king, no president has had a longer, more historic lineage.

In ability William Henry Harrison fell below the standard of his predecessors. He was elected not because he was a great statesman or a great soldier, but because he was thoroughly representative of the new West, which was flattered to see in the White House for the first time a man created in its own image.

At Harrison's inauguration the presidency entered an eclipse and was held for 20 years by secondary characters, who reigned, but did not rule. With men of the eminence of Clay and Webster, Calhoun and Benton, later Cass and Houston, Douglas and Davis, Case and Wade, Seward and Sumner in the senate, distinction and leadership passed from the White House to the capitol. It was an ignominious period in our politics when both parties were dodging the irrepressible issue of slavery.

In the teeth of a piercing northwest wind, the old farmer president-elect, bareheaded and disdaining the protection of an overcoat, rode horseback to the capitol. After addressing a great crowd that shivered in its shawls and furs, he insisted, though half-frozen, on remounting his horse and leading the inaugural parade.

No sooner was the first Whig president in the chair than the claims of factions and the clamor for patronage assailed him. Clay had declined cabinet honors—and labors—in the confident expectation of playing the easier and more powerful role of the power behind the throne. The imperious manner of the Great Commander wounding the presidential pride, he was requested to make his calls at the White House as infrequent and inconspicuous as he conveniently could. Thereupon his total absence became embarrassingly conspicuous.

The one clear mandate of the election of 1840 was to turn out the Democrats and give the jobs to the Whigs. Straightway a hungry horde fell

on the party which had elected him only five months before. Death had turned out the Whigs after 30 days of power and caused a political revolution.

Clay looked upon the accidental president as only a regent for the Whig party. Early in the extra session of congress, that impression of the senator from Kentucky was sharply corrected by a presidential veto of one of his own bills—a banking bill.

The Whigs were wild with rage; the Democrats filled with glee. The Democratic senators hastened in a body to the White House, where they were patting Tyler on the back while a Whig mob outside in the yard was making a vociferous, but futile protest. When the next veto came in Clay himself called the cabinet together and the members, with one exception, agreed to resign.

The exception was none other than that of the secretary of state, Daniel Webster. "Where am I to go?" the god-like Daniel thundered in his bewilderment. Some told him to go to one place, some to another. He held on for two years, until he had concluded the negotiation of the Ashburton treaty, which fixed the disputed boundary between Maine and Canada, and then he resigned.

Upon Webster's retirement, Tyler installed in the state department his mentor and idol, John C. Calhoun, and thus completed the overturn. The cabinet was now out and out Democratic and of the pro-slavery brand. Texas had seceded from Mexico, which had abolished slavery, and its American settlers, who were facing the choice of slave labor or free labor, were anxious to be admitted to the Union. The slave holders of the southern states wanted to expand their power over the vast Texan empire as an offset to the rapid expansion of the free states in the great West. But northern sentiment was opposed.

An opportune moment for the annexationists, the ubiquitous John Bull, with his omnipresent gunboat, appeared on the Texan scene as a mediator between Mexicans and Texans. His entry gave the slave interests the needed villain for the play, and the cry went up that we must annex Texas to keep the British from grabbing it.

Nevertheless the senate rejected overwhelmingly the treaty of annexation. Thereupon Tyler proposed to the devil around the stump, and Texas was annexed the last night of the administration by a simple joint resolution, rushed through the two houses of congress.

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William Henry Harrison.

upon Harrison and literally devoured him. In a month to a day he was dead of pneumonia, the first president to die in office throughout the more than 50 years of its existence.

This briefest of administrations is a pathetic little story of a simple, lonely old man, lured from his farm to be the sport of politics. Ailing in body and harried in mind, he was without the care and companionship of his good wife, Anna Symmes Harrison, daughter of a New Jersey colonel in the Revolution who became one of the pioneer soldiers of Ohio. Broken by the hard toll of a frontier household and sorrowing for the loss of eight of her ten children, this wife of one president and grandmother of another, still was making ready to take up her duties as mistress of the White House when the news of her husband's death came to her.

HOW TO CHECK ACCOUNTS.

When checks come back from the bank a good way to straighten out accounts for the month is to paste the checks back on the stubs. The return check is in itself a receipt and takes care of that part of the business. The large checkbooks having three stubs on a page are a little easier to handle than the small books. A rubber band snapped around the returned checks keeps them from the blank part of the book and causes no inconvenience.

This is really worth trying, for it settles the monthly statement, preserves the checks and does away with the necessity of keeping receipts.

Possible Economy.

One day when James was taking a walk with his grandmother they met a man who had his glasses so far down that he could easily look over them. After they had passed him James said: "Grandmother, why does he look over his glasses; is he afraid of wearing them only?"

HOME TOWN HELPS

TOWN LEADER IN GOOD WORK

Sherburne, in New York, Praised for Its Inception of Systematic Tree Planting.

The state of New York passed a law in 1912 making it possible for counties, towns and villages to acquire, by purchase, lease, gift, or condemnation, lands having tree growth or forests thereon, or lands which are suitable for the growth of trees.

The advantages to be obtained are numerous, besides the income to be derived from the sale of forest products there are the benefits of regulation of stream-flow, protection of the watershed, shelter from winds and storms, protection to birds and game, and a healthful resort for the people of the town and community.

Sherburne, a village in Chenango county, New York, has been planting trees systematically since 1912, and the work was begun without the knowledge that state laws were being enacted which might make tree-planting something of an inducement. It therefore deserves all the more credit for its interest in forestry. To Dr. Homer G. Newton, for many years a resident of that village, is due the honor of having initiated the policy of tree-planting and watershed protection. The development of this project should be followed with much interest by towns or villages that contemplate similar plantations or forests.—Bulletin of the American Forestry Association.

OUTDOOR ADVERTISING TO GO

Cities Generally Are Taking Concerted Action to Do Away With the Unsightly Billboards.

Our most progressive towns have nearly all denounced safety and sanitation in billboard construction, and a number of places limit the signs to business districts, or else require the written consent of a majority of the property owners before a sign can be erected on a residential block.

The billboard companies have fought reform strenuously. In some states, civic associations claim that they have defeated legislation; in others, it was said that they tried to have ordinances put into effect which would not restrict use of billboards to any extent, but which would make it appear that the town had settled the question.

Now that the courts are deserting them, some of the billboard companies seem to be falling into line with community improvements and agreeing to the restrictions imposed. They still claim, however, that outdoor advertising is a legitimate and highly efficient method of business promotion. They point to the undeniably artistic signs painted by Maxfield Parrish as a sample of what a thing of beauty the billboard can be. They ignore the fact that Mr. Parrish has painted only a few ads of thousands displayed.

Advantages of a Garden.

A garden is a great thing to possess in more ways than one. If you do the work yourself it rewards you with health and an appetite and adds years to your life. It gives you something to do when loafing around the house has grown wearisome. But aside from that it has one other large advantage. It is an excellent thing to have when you want to let your temper cool off. You can go out into the garden, when things have gone wrong inside the house, and say anything you want to the roses and hollyhocks and the phlox and the cosmos and the weeds and they never talk back. The man who owns a garden, and knows enough to get into it when he should, has few regrets, for he leaves bitter thoughts unsaid.

Horse Coming Back.

Saddlers and others interested in the horse profess to believe the day of the equine is about to dawn again. They point to the fact that saddle horses are frequently seen in Central park and that more horse-drawn vehicles are to be observed on the city streets. Every now and then a linden, barouche or phaeton buggy can be seen in Fifth avenue, while in the outlying districts the horse appears to be again asserting his right to live and lead. It is regarded as significant that the bridal party of the recent Vanderbilt-Bradley wedding, the largest wedding noted here in a decade, arrived at the church in a horse-drawn conveyance.—New York Times.

Lawn Means Much to Home.

A well-kept and well-planted lawn is essential for every home. Most anyone can erect a shelter of boards or cement, but some thought must be put into making that shelter a home. Comfort, convenience, and beauty ought to be found there. They are all needed if young people are going to stay long in the home.

Beautifying Home Grounds.

The home is the dwelling place of the family and should be made as beautiful and inviting as possible. Trees and flowers will serve a good part in doing this, with a little work done in the right direction.

The First Museum.

The first museum was part of the palace of Alexandria, where learned men were maintained at the public cost, just as eminent public servants were in the Prytaneum at Athens. Its foundation is attributed to Ptolemy Philadelphus about 280 B. C.

Peculiar Affliction.

Bernice was out playing when a horse fell. She came in the house much excited and said: "Oh, pa; a horse fell down and can't get up." "Hi, leg's unconscious!"

We recommend the purchase of General Aluminum and Brass Mfg. Company

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8% Cumulative Preferred Stock

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When some men court trouble it results in marriage.

Nervous Spells—Near Heart Failure Eatonic Stopped It

Mr. C. B. Loats, writing from his home at Lay, Md., says, "I had been taking medicine from four specialists, but believe me, friends, one box of Eatonic has done me more good than all the remedies I have ever tried. I was in awfully bad shape. About half an hour before meals, I got nervous, trembling and heart pressure so bad I could hardly walk or talk. One box of Eatonic stopped it."

Eatonic quickly produces these truly marvelous results, because it takes up the poisons and gases and carries them right out of the body. Of course, when the cause is removed, the sufferer gets well.

Everyone that wants better health is told to have just a little faith—enough to try one box of Eatonic from your own druggist. The cost is a trifle, which he will hand back to you if you are not pleased. Why should you suffer another day, when quick, sure relief is waiting for you? Adv.

MUTT STRIVE FOR IDEALS

Highest Type of Citizen Is He Who Is Always Able to See Better Things Ahead.

No citizen will ever come fully into his own until he strives to reach a high ideal. The boy who is satisfied to pump himself in the hope of reaching the top by magic is doomed to failure. The exceptional happens to the fellow who dares work and wait and strive against odds. He must not be satisfied with attainment, however complimentary it may be. There are always better things ahead if he is willing to strive for them. He will rise as he adds intelligence to vision, sympathy to character and self-sacrifice to both. Then he will crown the ideals with faith in God and its resultant faith in his fellow men. He will believe in himself enough to dare the limit and try a dozen times to redeem former failures. He is a citizen who looks upon failures as opportunities and makes them stepping stones to power. The biggest lustre in the world today is the making of citizens. And the nation with the best citizens will rule the world.

Worse.

"Have you ever been lost in a jungle?"
"No, but I have in the property room of a motion picture studio."—Film Fun.

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FRECKLES

KNOW WHERE HE WAS GOING

Owner Had His Ideas of Further Usefulness of Horse Which Had Seen Better Days.

The most conspicuous part of the horse was his prominent ribs. It was certainly an odd-looking animal. Judging by the usual standard of horses, it was not the pride of any one's stables. But the gypsy who led it evidently had hopes of its doing something, for he appeared anxious to make it move.

"Say, gypsy," shouted an interested spectator, "you're taking the horse the wrong way. The dog kennels lie in the other direction."

"I know my business best," was the retort, "so don't you talk to me. I'm right for the steam laundry, aren't I?"

"Yes, gypsy."

"Well, I'm taking 'im there, where he'll prove useful as a scrubbing board."

He Didn't Have to Lie. Dick had been spending the day with a little playmate, and when his mother called for him he hopped in the machine and settled himself comfortably, saying: "Thank heavens that's once I didn't have to talk a lie."

His mother asked what he meant, and he said: "Well, you see Mike's mother wasn't home, so I didn't have to say I had a good time, 'cause I didn't."

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, AUG. 12

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Vella Hermann is enjoying a visit with former friends at Oscoda, Mich.

Miss Lucille McPhee was the guest of friends in Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Trudeau is spending several weeks in Detroit visiting relatives.

Miss Majorie Peterson of Bay City is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

Miss Ula Mae Shier of Wolverine is a guest at the home of Mrs. Geo. McCullough.

See that line of Gents' watches at the Gift Shop. Railroad grades and at right prices.

Miss Annette Nielsen of Grand Rapids is here for a visit with her father, Wilhelm Nielsen and brothers.

Mrs. Clara McLeod was in West Branch Tuesday of last week in attendance at the funeral of a brother-in-law, Mrs. Sims.

Waldemar Jensen has returned from Saginaw and is engaged in painting and decorating the interior of the new bungalow home of Mrs. A. Kraus.

Miss Alice Austin of West Branch is spending a few days here the guest of Miss Dorothy Campbell at the A. M. Lewis cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Lester McPeak and children of Bay City have been guests at the home of Mrs. McPeak's sister, Mrs. P. D. Borchers, and are returning home today.

Charles R. Miller and daughter Eleanor and Miss Marie Miller of Detroit were guests of their sister-in-law, Mrs. W. J. Miller and family a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bowen are entertaining the latter's sister, Mrs. Edward Bothe of Durand and two nieces, Miss Robertson and Miss Anderson both of Bay City.

A. J. Joseph, manager of the Grayling Mercantile company left Sunday night for Detroit and Chicago to purchase merchandise. He will be away about ten days.

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Keyport have as their guests at their summer home at Lake Margrethe, the latter's sister, Miss Anne Walton, also Miss Guinevere Pursell and Mr. Glen Brown of Detroit.

Mrs. H. W. Wolff, son Herbert, daughter, Miss Marjorie and their guest Miss Geraldine Robertson of South Bend, Ind., motored to West Branch last week to attend the Community chautauqua held there.

Miss Catherine Goodrich of Saginaw is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Olson. Mrs. P. M. Goodrich and two daughters who were guests at the Olson home returned home Monday, leaving Miss Catherine for a longer visit.

Miss Marguerite Hoyt, County commissioner of schools is down from Gaylord this week in charge of the county teachers' examinations, which are being held at the Court house in this city today, tomorrow and the next day, August 12, 13 and 14.

Ralph Clarkson and family expect to leave some time during this month for Portland, Oregon, to make their future home. Mrs. Clarkson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Barber of Grayling. Tuesday evening a farewell gathering was held by the W. B. A. of the Macabees for Mrs. Clarkson, who is a member of the association. She was presented with a beautiful linen dollie as a remembrance from the order.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Roblin have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Detroit.

Miss Edna Bebb is entertaining her cousin Miss Frances Bebb of Mancelona.

Mrs. Rhoda Everett was a guest over Sunday of Mrs. A. Kraus at Lake Margrethe.

Lipman Landsberg of Detroit is visiting at the home of his uncle, Max Landsberg and family.

Ed. Petticoord and a party of friends from Detroit are enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher of the military reservation are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt of Detroit.

Mrs. C. M. Dowker and children returned this morning after a number of weeks' visit in Decatur, Illinois.

Curry Sheehy resumed his duties at the flooring company mill Monday morning after a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. George McPeak and little son are spending a couple of weeks in Bay City guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard McPeak.

The condition of Luther Herrick, who was stricken with paralysis at his home Wednesday morning of last week is slightly improved.

The Grayling Dowel & Tie Plug company is closed down for a few weeks to install a new engine and to make other improvements.

Mrs. B. A. Cooley is in Detroit attending the fall openings of the wholesale millinery houses. She will be away for the remainder of this week.

Mr. Samuel Rasmussen and bride of Portland, Maine, are expected to arrive here Saturday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen.

Mrs. R. R. Pringle and family who spent a couple of weeks in Grayling enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe all returned to their home in Bay City during the past week.

Mrs. O. N. Milnes is at her old home in Fremont, Indiana, visiting relatives expecting to be gone for three weeks. She went in time to attend a family reunion of her family.

Dr. L. Fernald Foster, graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, and former chief resident physician of the Philadelphia children's hospital, has come to Bay City to locate and practice his profession—Bay City Times-Tribune. Mr. Foster is a brother of A. L. Foster of this place and was employed by the local duPont company about the time they began operations in Grayling. Mr. Foster is expected to come to Grayling soon for a visit.

Mrs. Freda Lenartz says that she does not intend that Maple Forest shall beat her on raising oats and when some of the farmers of that region were bragging about having oats over 4 feet high she went out in her oat field and slashed off a handful and brot it to the Avalanche office. It sure is a nice lot and measures five feet four and one-half inches, above the roots; the grain is heavy and is of fine quality, with well-filled heads.

Ambrose McClain and son have opened a restaurant in the McClain building across the street from the Temple Theatre, which is to be known as Miceys Restaurant. They are now ready to serve light lunches, short orders and dinners at a price which we assure you will be satisfactory. Sunday dinners a specialty. Your toast and coffee order will be looked after as carefully as your holiday dinner. Try us for a good cup of coffee.

One of the largest crowds that ever assembled at the Officers club house at the Hanson State Military reservation was present Wednesday night at the charity ball given for Mercy hospital. The spacious ball room, the reception room and veranda were crowded with guests, all in a happy spirit and enjoying the dancing, visiting, card playing, whichever they preferred. The music was furnished by Herbert Wolff, Keith MacKillican and Dr. Don M. Howell, on the saxophone, piano and traps respectively. Everybody enjoyed the music and the dancing, although the floor was pretty much crowded at times. In addition to the dance features there were many pretty extras. One of the enjoyable features was some instrumental and vocal solos by Hubert Fernwood of Detroit with an Hawaiian guitar. Another was a fancy toe dance by Miss Catherine Goodrich of Saginaw who is a niece of Mrs. A. C. Olson of this city. Miss Goodrich is exceptionally clever and her exhibition was specially pretty and pleasing. During the evening punch was served, for which a nominal sum was charged. At about 11:00 o'clock the guests were privileged to partake of sandwiches, cake, coffee, punch and other good things. The refreshments were served by Tom and Nellie Washington, chefs at the Hanson dining room at Lake Margrethe, and they were assisted by some of the chefs from the Wolff cottage. They handled the big crowd in a most capable manner. The ball was given by the Hospital Aid society, of which Mrs. A. M. Lewis is the president, and netted the hospital about \$250.00. There are many who are entitled to credit for the grand success of the affair, including the military board for the use of the handsome club house. It would be difficult to name all. The music was furnished free, autos were furnished free for taking the people to the grounds and return; cakes, sandwiches and other things were furnished free and many other things done to help to make the affair a pleasant one and to aid in making a few dollars for our local hospital. There were many guests present from other cities and a large number of resorters from Higgins lake.

Miss Lottie Fletcher of West Branch is a guest of Miss Margaret Hathaway. She came to visit her brother, Roland Fletcher, who is employed in Grayling.

Tuesday night Mrs. John Schram left for her old home at Millington, Mich., for a several days' visit. She was born at this place and spent her girlhood days there.

Mrs. Charles Woodbury, son Richard and daughter Kathleen of Bay City are visiting Mrs. Woodbury's mother Mrs. Clara McLeod. They came Saturday afternoon.

Eight friends of Misses Vita Fischer and Fern Armstrong were their guests at the home of the latter Thursday evening. The party danced and enjoyed nice refreshments.

Mrs. J. J. Sweeney and her daughter Mrs. Margaret Simpson and children left Sunday night for Cass City where they expect to remain for some time with relatives. Mrs. Sweeney has accepted a position in one of the local industries of that town.

After an illness of eight months duration, Miss Mildred Hoyt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hoyt of T-Town, passed away at her home Friday evening of chronic endocarditis. Although she had been ailing for a long time she had been seriously ill only a short time, when she passed away at six o'clock Friday evening. The young lady was 19 years old and had lived in Grayling only a year or more with her parents. The funeral, which was well attended by neighbors and friends of the family was held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

FREDERIC BREEZES.

Mr. James Wood is putting a new roof on his house.

Quite a good many were out to church last Sabbath evening. We have young people's meeting at 6:30. All come.

Corydon G. Forbush, who has been in Grayling for the past week is home again.

Mrs. William Terhune has returned home again.

Mrs. Martha Buck has been in Maple Forest calling on friends and at the Ward farm.

Grandma Barber has returned home again and is much improved in health.

People are very busy just now, picking berries.

Rye is all cut and oats is ripening.

Mrs. Geo. M. Scott of Binghamton, New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCracken of Frederic. Last Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. McCracken and Mrs. Scott motored to Frankfort, Mich., the childhood home of the latter, and enjoyed a visit over Sunday with old friends. Mrs. Ed. McCracken was a Grayling caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Rhoda King has returned to West Branch much improved in health. She has been staying with her son Fred Barber for the past month.

A. Lewis is making a good showing on the East and West road toward Doward, north of the village and is doing it right too.

Mrs. Flora M. Barber and her sister Mrs. Maggie Niver of Santa Ana, Calif., are visiting in Grand Rapids for a week.

C. S. Barber is making more improvements on his home.

Mrs. Ed. Nichols of Bay City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Patterson this week.

I say so! See the corn and pumpkins grow this week.

ELDORADO NUGGETS.

Mrs. B. Aumuller and grandson, Charles, returned to Chicago Saturday after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Weber.

Paul and Sidney Voelkel and Roy Fick of Milwaukee, Wis., returned home Monday after spending the week with the Voelkel boys' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roepke.

Miss Emma Grundman and Mrs. Karl Horn and three children are here from Chicago for a month's visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Grundman.

Mrs. George Jones has returned to her home at Sandusky after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weber.

Mr. Morton Kline of Louisville, Ky., arrived Wednesday to spend a few weeks with his family at the Crane farm.

George Basing and his business partner drove up from Flint Saturday. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Basing and Mrs. A. M. Diamond and children of South Bend, Ind., who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Henry Hartman.

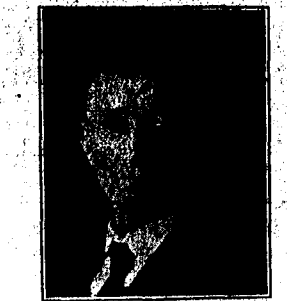
COMING.

A. S. Allard, Eye Sight specialist, of Cheboygan will be in Grayling again at Burton Hotel Tuesday, Aug. 17, one day only. I devote my entire time examining eyes and fitting glasses. The examining and connecting of cross eyes and children's cases a specialty. Remember the date—Tues. Aug. 17. A. S. Allard, O. S. 8-5-2.

I have recovered a boat from above the Electric light dam. Owner may have same by proving property and paying salvage claims. 8-42-3. J. B. Rosenstand.

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WANTED—LABORERS AND OPERATORS. Apply du Pont Company, Grayling. 8-12-4.

FOUND—SATURDAY JULY 31st, an auto chain with Yale lock, on Beaver Creek road. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad.

LOST HUB CAP FROM AUTOMOBILE. Has name CODY in large letters across face. Finder please notify W. H. Cody.

WORK TEAM FOR SALE—WITH harness and wagon. Cheap for cash. Joe Nephew, (T-Town) Grayling. 8-12-3.

FOR SALE—FORD TOURING CAR that runs and looks like new, reasonable. See Gates at Wingard Studio about it this week. 8-12-2.

FOR SALE—EXPECT TO GO WEST soon and would like to dispose of all my property in Grayling, consisting of my home with five lots; fifty platted lots in Brink Park addition and 22 acres not platted. Terms. W. F. Brink. 8-12-3.

STOLEN—FROM MY ROOM AT the Burton Hotel, my brown leather Marble sample case, belonging to the Gaffney Granite company of Saginaw. Reward offered for its return. Notify Avalanche office. 8-12-2.

FOUND—BLACK BEAD ROSARY with silver cross. Owner may call for same at offices of Drs. Keyport & Howell.

FOR SALE—ONE COW, A SPRING calf and two pigs. Inquire at the Mercy Hospital. 8-5-2.

FOR RENT—BARN ON INSLEY place. Can be used for garage; there is room for three autos. I will be at the place on Peninsular Ave. next Monday, Aug. 9th, at which time you may call. James Hanson, Grayling. 8-12-2.

FOR SALE—FIVE LOTS ON LAKE Margrethe, formerly Portage Lake, two on lake front and three directly back of them. In one of best locations on East side of lake—ideal site. Will sell in part or in whole. This is almost the last chance to obtain lake-front lots and good cottage building locations. Inquire Avalanche office, Grayling. 8-12-2.

LOST—A CHILD'S POCKET BOOK Tuesday between downtown and F. Deckrow's place. It contained \$10 in currency. Finder please notify Avalanche office.

A FORD RUNABOUT OR TOURING car for sale. Inquire of Thomas Cassidy. 7-29-3.

STRAYED, FROM DICK SEWALL place, a young sow; weight 100 lbs. Please notify C. J. Purcell, Grayling, Mich.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, near school house; good garage. Address C. J. Hathaway, Boston Store Bldg., Pontiac, Mich. 8-12-2.

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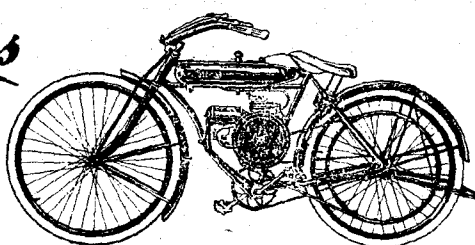
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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, AUG. 12.

Miss Jerrine Lankey of Bay City is a guest of Miss Kathryn Clark.

When looking for gifts, remember the Gift Shop. New goods coming every day.

Miss Minnie Sherman of Flint is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sherman.

Mrs. William Beezer spent Saturday and Sunday in Saginaw and Detroit returning Monday afternoon.

Rev. C. E. Doty and family expect to return Saturday from their vacation trip to Petoskey and Bay View.

Alfred Hermann was the guest of friends in Bay City and Saginaw from Wednesday until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trudo and family motored to Cheboygan last Sunday in their new Nash auto, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates and little son returned Tuesday afternoon from their visit in Boyne City and other northern cities.

Miss Nellie Charlefour returned Friday morning after a week spent in Jackson and Lansing. At the latter place she was the guest of Mrs. Leo Seymour.

There will be services in the Michigan Memorial church next Sunday morning at the regular time, 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school will be at 11:45, instead of 9:45.

Louis Gassel and friend Mr. Fernwood of Detroit are enjoying a vacation among relatives and friends in Grayling and Lewiston. Mr. Gassel is a nephew of M. Brenner.

Last Saturday morning Miss Vera Cameron left for Frankfort, Mich. on Lake Michigan to remain until her school starts in September. She will teach again this year in the Bay City public schools.

Ladies, don't forget that our millinery opening will be held Tuesday, August 24, when we will show the finest line of fall and winter hats that ever came to this city. You are invited to call and bring your friends. The Hat Shop.

The social meeting of the Ladies' National league will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Holliday, Thursday, Aug. 19th, at which time a full attendance of the members is desired. Mrs. Holliday is chairman of the entertainment committee.

Miss Dorothy Campbell was the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Lewis a few days this week at their cottage at Lake Margrethe, on her way home from Mt. Pleasant, where she has been attending the summer term of school at the Normal college. She left for her home in Newberry today.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton and daughters, Frances, Vivian and Geraldine of Detroit, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Helena Newton also of Detroit, arrived in Grayling Monday forenoon. They are guests at the home of Mrs. Newton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen and came by auto. They expect to remain three weeks.

Doumas Bros., of Gaylord, who conduct the restaurant popularly known in Gaylord as the "Sugar Bowl" have purchased the interests of Ernest J. Richards in the Cosmopolitan cafe and will be in Grayling next week to open up the place. This has been a fine eating place, and Mr. Richards has enjoyed a good patronage, but he was unable to secure help, so had to give up the business. He still retains his billiard and pool rooms, which are in the same building.

Miss Medea Sorenson of Detroit, but who at the present time is at Lake Margrethe, has made reservations to sail for Denmark. She will sail on the Steamship Oscar II that leaves New York on the afternoon of September 16. The steamship Oscar II was the ship that having the distinction of being known as the "Peace ship." Miss Sorenson is going to visit her parents who reside in Denmark and expects to return after a time. Her brother Jens Sorenson sailed about two weeks ago and so by this time has landed. Both are well known among the Danish people in Grayling.

The Big sale is on at Landsberg's.

Miss Ruby Olson has as her guest, Miss Theresa Kopp of Detroit.

W. C. Smith and family left this week for Glade, Kansas, to visit a brother of Mr. Smith, and expect to be gone indefinitely.

Nels Corwin, accompanied by Mrs. Celia Granger and Mrs. C. M. Hewitt drove to LeRoy, Mich., Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Kaiser.

Our big special bargain sale started last Saturday and we were almost swamped with customers. There are still many big money-saving bargains left in all departments. Next Saturday is the last day. Come quick.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Towers and two daughters of Lansing are guests of Major and Mrs. LeRoy Pearson at the Military reservation. Mr. Towers who was a captain with the old national guards had camped at the reservation during the summers of 1916 and 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. C. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simpson and Mr. Clayton Straehly started early Sunday morning on a motor trip through the southern part of the state. This week they attended an annual family reunion of the Straehly family at Bronson, Mich.

I will be in my office at Grayling, Mich., August 16 and 18th inclusive, and can take care of your optical needs. Owing to my increasing Pontiac practice, I cannot promise to come again this year. Look after the school children's eyes now.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ketzbeck, who have been in Kalkaska the past few weeks returned home Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Ketzbeck and little daughter, Mildred of Saginaw, who remained over Sunday here, leaving for Saginaw Tuesday.

Norman Spencer of Saginaw is in the city, the guest of friends this week. Mr. Spencer about eight years ago made his headquarters in Grayling, when he was a member of the famous Grayling base ball club of that time. He is better known around here as "Baldy" Spencer. His friends are enjoying his visit very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilson and Mr. and Mrs. William Brennan and son Billy expect to leave Saturday morning for a ten days' trip to places of interest in the upper peninsula. They will spend Sunday at the Soo and then go on to Ontonagon. They are looking forward to a most pleasant trip.

All ex-service men wishing to take advantage of the financial assistance offered free by the Y. M. C. A. for an education by mail, must notify the local chairman Philip G. Zalsman or Emil Giegling by August 20. After that date the matter will be closed. Several here have already taken advantage of the offer.

Mrs. Lizzie H. Palmer of Lansing, State assembly president of the Rebekahs met with the local lodge of Rebekahs last Saturday evening, at which time a special meeting was called and a large number in attendance. Mrs. Palmer gave a very interesting talk on things pertaining to the Rebekah order and afterwards a most delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Palmer remained over Sunday a guest of Mrs. Henry P. Baumgras at the military reservation.

The funeral of Floyd Bromwell of Riverview, who passed away last Thursday morning at Mercy hospital was held Saturday morning. Services took place at 9:00 o'clock at St. Mary's church, where during the mass, the Sisters of Mercy played and sang very nicely. Rev. Fr. E. J. Walters delivered the sermon. Those from out-of-town, who came to be in attendance at the funeral were Mrs. Theresa Berthiaume and children of West Branch, Mrs. Mutch and daughter Sella of Sterling and Mrs. Durfee and daughter of Alger.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McPhee were in West Branch Tuesday of this week in attendance at the funeral of McKenna Bourasso, 20 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bourasso, 20 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Henry Ford made his "peace" trip on having the distinction of being known as the "Peace ship." Miss Sorenson is going to visit her parents who reside in Denmark and expects to return after a time. Her brother Jens Sorenson sailed about two weeks ago and so by this time has landed. Both are well known among the Danish people in Grayling.

We have a fine line of Ladies' wrist watches at The Gift Shop.

Harry Garrison of Bay City is a guest at the Foreman cottage at Lake Margrethe.

A. Hermann returned Thursday from a several days' visit in Saginaw and Oscoda.

Albert Trudo, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trudo is visiting his cousins at Afton, Mich.

Calvin Smith of Detroit spent a few days this week visiting his cousin Will Graham and family.

Mrs. Charles Lytle and children expect to leave soon for Manton, Mich., to visit Mrs. Lytle's mother.

Miss Fedora Montour returned Saturday from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Pinconning and other places.

Common politeness and a decent regard for the health of others should make us muffle the sneeze and smother the cough.

Mrs. Robert McKay of West Branch, is a guest of her sister Mrs. H. W. Wolf at "Wolf den" cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Charles Frederickson passed an examination for brakeman at Bay City Monday and left Tuesday on his pilot trip to Mackinaw City.

Tobias Rudolph of the local duPont company, left for his home in Wilmington, Delaware, last Saturday to enjoy a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis and children returned the latter part of the week to their home in Mt. Clemens, after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Clarence Brown with her mother, Mrs. Frank Woodruff and son Kenneth of Bay City spent last week visiting old friends in Lewis-ton.

Miss Nina Peterson is here from Oxford for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen. She expects to remain for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartwick of Detroit, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson in their new cottage at Lake Margrethe. They intend to remain several weeks.

At her home on duPont avenue, Miss Helen Reagan entertained a few friends at dinner last evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of Miss Anna Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown are spending a two weeks' vacation visiting relatives and friends in Bay City, Saginaw and Detroit. They left Saturday night for the former place.

Look out for bumper crops in Crawford county this year. Everything with the possible exception of corn is looking great, and some farmers claim that they will have a good corn crop.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Siedel of Lovells, that was born Saturday, July 30th at Mercy hospital passed away August 1st. Mrs. Siedel was formerly Miss Emma Sherman of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White of Bad Axe and Miss Mabel Nelson of Pigeon, Mich., are enjoying a visit with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson. Mr. and Mrs. White until a short time ago resided in Montana.

Carl Anderson is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from his duties with the Salling Hanson Co. He is spending part of the time visiting at his home in Boyne City, but the latter part will spend in the southern part of the state.

Mrs. James Bacon and little son James, who have spent several months with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McNeal, returned Friday to their home in Cleveland, O. Mrs. McNeal who is an aunt of Mrs. Bacon accompanied them as far as Bay City.

Harry and Ralph Oaks, both sons of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Oaks, former residents of Grayling have been visiting relatives and friends in Grayling. This was Harry's first visit here in twelve years; he has returned home, but Ralph is prolonging his visit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Olson and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Pobrski and children, and some friends from Detroit, who spent a couple of weeks here at Lake Margrethe, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen have all returned to their homes.

Howard and George Granger, Jearld and Clarence Brenner and Farnum and Stanley Matson motored to West Branch and Bay City Sunday. At West Branch they visited Charles Abbott and in Bay City Reed Friberg. They all returned Monday night.

Our stock of new creations in fall and winter Millinery will soon arrive and we will have an opening Tuesday, August 24. Special care has been taken to provide a line of hats that will appeal to the ladies of Grayling. All are cordially invited to call. The Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. VanAlstyne of Detroit motored through to Frederic and have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts of Maple Forest, for the past two weeks. They will leave for their home Monday, August 9. Mr. VanAlstyne is Branch manager of the Harrison Radiator Corporation of Detroit.

Thos. Cassidy has taken over the pop-corn and confectionery store of Frank May. The former originally opened this place of business but sold to Mr. May when he took up traveling salesmanship. He didn't like being away from home so much so quit. Mr. May has been operating the store besides keeping his position with the Michigan Central railroad. He found that he could not keep up the long hours so was willing to sell out to Mr. Cassidy.

The tax roll for the Village of Grayling is now in the hands of the Village treasurer at the Bank of Grayling ready to receive taxes. cf.

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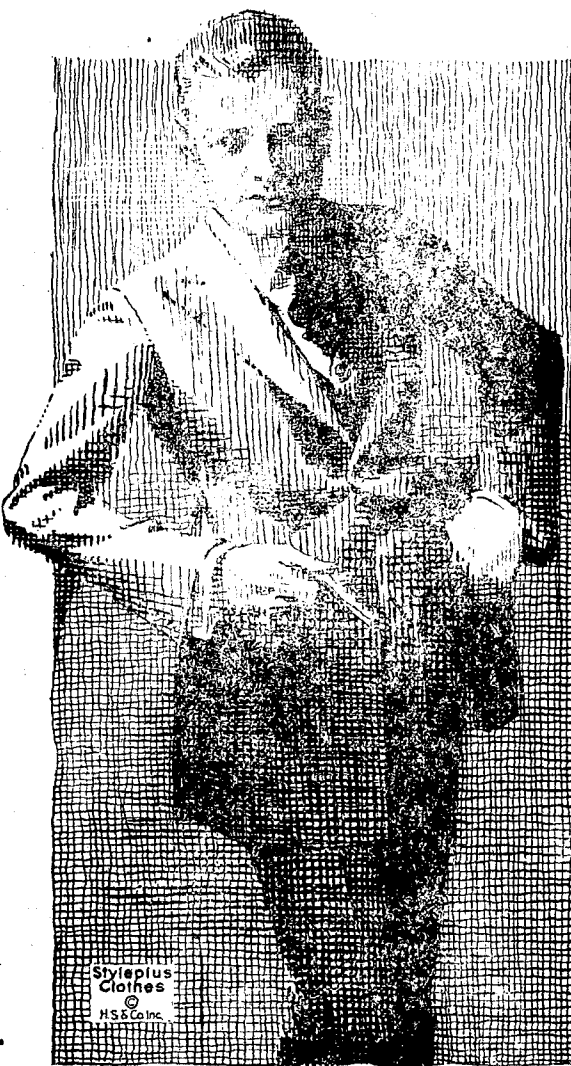
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STATE NEWS

Potoskey—John Rickles, of Shelby, who purchased North Fox Islands, will convert the property into a skunk and muskrat farm.

Grand Rapids—Orin E. Jenkins, convicted of stealing an automobile, was sentenced to Michigan Reformatory, Ionia, for from 18 months to 10 years.

Muskegon—Francis Hearst, 16 years old, is held charged with breaking and entering. The police say he has robbed 50 homes during the last few weeks.

Charlotte—An Odd Fellows picnic to be held at Morrison Lake, near Clarksville, Aug. 25, will be attended by Sanford, Mulliken and Sebawa lodges.

Hillsdale—Fifteen hundred to 2,000 persons attended Community day celebration. They were from North Adams, Waldron, Osseo, Allen, as well as this city.

Grand Rapids—Epidemic of "black leg" among cattle in Kent county is reported well under control. Breeders have reported the loss of several head from this disease.

Grand Rapids—Kent county plum growers will market their crop through Grand Rapids Growers' association. The crop, it is estimated, will exceed 20,000 bushels.

Muskegon—Clifton White, of Manistee, who accidentally shot himself while examining an Army revolver one week ago, is dead. He did not know the revolver was loaded.

Albion—The Hayes Wheel Co. announced that owing to the success of "The Hub," a journal published at its factory here, four new journals will be published at its other plants.

Grand Rapids—Inspection of the local battalion, Michigan National Guard, will take place Aug. 30. Organization of four companies will have been completed by that time.

Hastings—After an automobile stalled on the Michigan Central tracks, had been hit by a passenger train, the occupants fled. They are believed to have been auto thieves.

Potoskey—Sept. 7, 8, 9 and 10 is the date set for the holding of the Emmet County Agricultural Fair here. The largest premiums in the history of Emmet County fairs are being offered.

Grand Rapids—Annual trade extension excursion of Grand Rapids wholesalers will be held October 5 to 8 in territory to the southeast on the Michigan Central and Pere Marquette railroads.

Manistique—For the second time within a few days an accident occurred at the M. & L. S. crossing here. Oscar Tydell, 70, was fatally injured when a bus was struck by a switch engine.

Adrian—Palmyra Oil & Gas Co. was incorporated at Lansing, Mich., with \$100,000 capital. Articles of association were filed at the county clerk's office in Adrian. The office will be at Palmyra.

Detroit—Fire originating in the basement of the Myra Jones school at Baldwin and Sylvester avenues, burned its way to the roof, causing \$15,000 damage. The fire started in an oily mop in a basement corner.

Grand Ledge—This city has raised one-third of the \$30,000 it must put in to the scheme to purchase the famous Seven Islands Resort. Lansing men are expected to raise the other \$45,000 necessary to put through the deal.

Hillsdale—One of the biggest picnics ever held in Branch county will be given by the Branch County Farm bureau at Pleasant Ridge, Marquette lake, Aug. 26. Combined with this will be the third annual Boys' and Girls' club picnic.

Hillsdale—Archie K. Simpson, former cashier of the Montgomery State bank, who was arrested and charged with embezzlement of \$33,000 of the bank's funds, waived examination before C. M. Weaver and was bound over for trial in October.

Grand Rapids—Predicting milk at 20 cents a quart in the near future, John E. Jones, general manager of the Grand Rapids Dairy Co., announced that Grand Rapids milk retailers increased the price of milk one cent, to eight cents a pint and 15 cents a quart.

Grand Rapids—Because two of the three members of the special committee considering the petition of the Consumers' Power Co. for an increase in lighting and power rates are opposed to granting the request it is believed that the company's attempt will be unsuccessful.

Grand Rapids—Five persons were injured when an automobile driven by Benjamin Van Allstede, of Muskegon, collided with another driven by Chas. E. Chappell, of Marne. The injured are Mrs. Robert Hage, of Walker township; Mrs. Hiram Collins, of Grand Rapids; Miss Minnie Kelland, Miss Martha Chappell, and Fred Tate, of Marne.

Detroit—Contracts for \$500,000 worth of new rails for the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railroad, recently taken over by Henry Ford and Edsel Ford, have been let, according to announcement. Other improvements, including new rolling stock and better roadbeds, are being planned. Advice from Lansing, however, indicate that the Ford plan for constructing a connecting line between the D. T. & I. and the Detroit Terminal railroad, at a point 2 1/2 miles southwest of Trenton, is being held up by the Michigan Public Utilities commission.

Lansing—Co-operation between Michigan banks, the Michigan Farm Bureau and the wool growers of the state has saved the latter many thousands of dollars this year. Approximately 4,000,000 pounds with a value of \$1,000,000 even at present low prices, is stored in Lansing in a gigantic pool organized by the farm bureau to await satisfactory market conditions. Through an arrangement with Michigan banks, growers have been able to borrow upon conservative valuations of their wool.

Manistee—Castner Cobala, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cobala, burned to death while playing with matches. Ferndale—Pleasant Ridge now has a weekly newspaper, the first edition of the "News" appearing. A. L. Kingsley of Highland Park, is publisher.

Albion—At a meeting of Albion women, a League of Women Voters was formed. Mrs. Helen S. Stalter, of Kalamazoo, candidate for congress, spoke.

Grand Rapids—Ralph Tucker is the fifth employee of the Grand Rapids Railway Co. to be arrested in the last two weeks on a charge of "knocking down" fares.

Monroe—Lawrence Wilhelm, 21, and W. Schok, 30, of Fremont, each paid \$20 here on conviction of stealing a lantern from the north end of the Dixie highway.

Bessemer—Three masked men dressed in khaki entered the boarding house of Fred Bres at the Anvil location, Cogeble county, and raided a card party, stealing \$1,800.

Big Rapids—Mrs. Effie Simons, who was jailed with a babe at the prison, says that the high cost of living forced her to live with Fred Schulke, both held on a serious charge.

Muskegon—The Home Finance Co., a local civic organization, announces that 700 homes are under construction here now. It says 2,000 homes are needed to relieve the shortage.

Pontiac—John Probowksi is alleged to have sold liquor to two sheriff's officers and his arrest resulted. He is held for trial. He gave his address as 1580 Dubois street, Detroit.

Harford—Harry G. Britton, 23 years old, of Grand Rapids, a Pere Marquette freight brakeman, was instantly killed when he was struck by the northbound flyer from Chicago.

Kalamazoo—A 15-year-old boy in juvenile court on a charge of stealing \$100 worth of articles from his employer, said his grandmother taught him to steal things for her to sell.

Grand Haven—Fred Warner, 31, is dead. He was a former plainsman associated with Buffalo Bill and Gen. Custer, and drove trains for the government through to Kansas City and St. Louis.

Jackson—The hay barn, with 28 horses and mules, grain and machinery, of the Jerome Seed Co., of Detroit, near Grass Lake, was burned. The loss is estimated at \$20,000, covered by insurance.

Flint—The murder theory over the finding of the body of John Reisinger, Buick Motor Co. employee, in the Flint river, was destroyed by the decision of Coroner Cook that death was due to accidental drowning.

Grand Rapids—Milk Dealers association issued an appeal to consumers to turn in all empty bottles they can find as a means of relieving the bottle shortage. The dealers say they cannot obtain new bottles.

Escanaba—Miss Marion Dahl, Wisconsin, formerly of the state normal school at River Falls, Wis., is new librarian at the Carnegie public library in this city, succeeding Miss Day, who resigned recently.

Kalamazoo—Kalamazoo will escape a fuel famine next winter if shipments of coal continue to come in as in the last two weeks, according to retail dealers. Receipts since the middle of July have been far above normal.

Bay City—Two women are running for Bay County offices this fall. Minnie Gardner is the Democratic candidate for state senator, from the First District and Helen M. Hennessey is the Democratic candidate for register of deeds.

Grand Rapids—Mrs. Robert Haag, 68 years old, living west of the city, was seriously hurt, and two others less severely when an automobile owned by Dr. Louis Chappell, of Marne, crashed in a collision with a car driven by G. VanAlstede of Muskegon.

Cheboygan—Benjamin Sparty, 32, and Roy Hutchinson, 31, Wolverine, were instantly killed when their automobile was struck by a Michigan Central train here. With their wives they were returning from a party. The women escaped serious injury by jumping.

Grand Rapids—Property of the Grand Rapids Oil Co., was taken over by the Standard Oil Co., of Indiana. Eastern capitalists are said to have found that the Grand Rapids company was too far from their headquarters and source of supply for economical operation.

Hillsdale—The second mass meeting on the plan to open a hospital here instructed the present hospital committee to ask council to submit to the people the proposition of bonding the city for \$25,000 for a hospital. The committee obtained an option on the Woldron property as a hospital site.

Jackson—Walter Wilson, one of the wounded in the fight following the Grass Lake bank robbery, made a statement to the officers, although he said he did not say, "What is the use, since I am not going to die?" Wilson declared he was the man who forced the cashier of the bank to open the inner compartments of the safe.

East Lansing—Michigan orchards this year will produce 2,000,000 barrels of apples, about double the 1919 yield, according to the August estimate of Professor L. R. Taft, state inspector of orchards. This will be almost 10 per cent of the yield of the entire country, estimated at 25,000,000 barrels, about equal to the 1919 yield. Increased production is indicated by the large apple growing states of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Very few orchards have yet been sold, but several sales have been reported at \$4.50 to \$5 per barrel.

Detroit—Annexation of Highland Park and Hamtramck to Detroit will be asked of the county board of supervisors at the next meeting of that body in October by City Treasurer Guy L. Ingalls, a member of the board. The city treasurer's action will be taken on the ground that city taxpayers are paying the upkeep of Palmer Park, which is used more by residents of Highland Park and Hamtramck, than by residents of the city proper. Mayor Edgar F. Down, of Highland Park, declared that the county board has no authority to order the annexation.

STOP LANDING OF BRITISH CABLE

U. S. PREVENTS COMPLETION OF LINE INTENDED TO CONNECT WITH SOUTH AMERICA.

WOULD ESTABLISH MONOPOLY

Great Britain Already Controls Only Means of Wire Communication Between America and Brazil.

Washington.—Assurances were given the state department last week by the British embassy that the British cable ship Colonia would not undertake to land within American territorial waters the end of the cable from Barbados to Miami, Fla., until an executive permit had been issued by the United States government. The cable is being constructed for the Western Union Telegraph company and would connect with a British line to Brazil.

Instructions were sent by the embassy not only to Vice-Consul Hubbard at Miami, but also direct to the captain of the Colonia to postpone landing until the question of a permit had been settled. Meantime American destroyers are patrolling off Miami.

Embassy officials took the view that the controversy over the cable was entirely between the Western Union company and the state department. The government has declined to act on the permit pending the meeting here September 15 of the international communications conference.

It is not certain that President Wilson would consent to the landing of the new British-South American cable even if such an international agreement were reached. Such an agreement would guarantee American equality so far as commercial messages in time of peace are concerned, but it would not relieve the possibility of the American cables being closed by order of the British government in time of war.

There are at present two lines of wire communication between the United States and South America. The All-American Cable Co., which is American-owned, has a line extending from New York, via Cuba, Panama and the west coast of South America, to Valparaiso. Thence the cable has been connected by land with Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro and Santos, returning to Mexico by way of the east coast.

In 1913 the Brazilian government granted to Great Britain a monopoly of all cable-landing rights in that country. The All-American Co., however, obtained a concession to bring its cable messages into Brazil by land lines from the west coast.

So the matter stood until last spring, when the Brazilian government suddenly imposed a tax of three francs a word on all cable messages coming to Brazil by way of the west coast of South America, thus virtually prohibiting operation of the American line in the transmission of messages from the United States to Brazil.

The only other means of cable communication from the United States to the east coast of South America is by way of the British cable to London and thence to Brazil.

INTERURBAN HITS AUTO, 5 DEAD

Occupants of Machine Hurlled 200 Feet—Collision Hurts Thirteen.

Orion Mich.—Five persons were killed Sunday noon when the D. U. R. special car Yolande struck an automobile at Rochester road, a mile and a half south of Orion.

The dead: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spies about 60 years old, their son Arthur about 38, his wife and a son, Edward, 17.

The car struck the machine with terrific force, hurling the occupants 200 feet. The victims, with the exception of Arthur Spies, were all dead when passengers on the car reached the scene. Their bodies were mangled badly. Spies died before he could be taken to a hospital.

Rear End Crash Hurts Thirteen.

Pontiac Mich.—Thirteen Detroiters were injured, one so seriously that he probably will die, when the rear car of a D. U. R. Pontiac local train crashed into the forward interurban at Oak Grove at 9:30 o'clock Sunday evening, one mile south of Orchard Lake.

Most of those injured were members of a Detroit high school fraternity. The cars were bound for Detroit and each was overcrowded. The majority of those hurt were standing on the back platform of the first car.

Maurice Azie motorman, in charge of the rear car, declared he could not stop because of failure of the air brakes to work.

Fifth Coal Vein Near Court House.

Pottsville, Pa.—While digging up a sewer for the city, street hands struck a vein of coal only three inches below the surface, directly in front of the courthouse. It has long been known that a big body of coal underlies the courthouse, but many were surprised to see the coal so near the surface. John Strauch, city engineer, who was formerly mining engineer for the Philadelphia and Reading Coal & Iron Co., said the outcrop of certain vein is very close to the courthouse.

Claims Rediscovery of Lost Art. Toronto.—Lieut. David D. Bell, formerly of the 15th Battalion and Private W. J. Auchincloss, of the R. C. R., of West Toronto, Canada, claim they have discovered a process for tempering copper and copperizing steel. This is a secret which was possessed by the ancients, but has long been lost to the world. They are applying for a patent for the process. The copperizing of steel would provide a material particularly adapted for bridge and outside structural work.

ORIGINAL "FORTY-EIGHTERS" SAY FARMER-LABOR PARTY IS CONTROLLED BY I. W. W.

New York.—An announcement that the Committee of 48 was preparing to withdraw from all connection with the Farmer-Labor Party, of which Parley P. Christensen is the presidential nominee, follows closely charges by H. A. McCollum and Charles A. Weaver, who, in resigning as officials and members of the Utah Farmer-Labor organization, charged the party was controlled by the Industrial Workers of the World.

Reorganization of the Committee of 48 along the original lines of the party was to be undertaken at a meeting of the executive committee, according to Allen McCurdy, secretary of the Forty-Eighters. In a statement he said the Farmer-Labor Party is a "radical" organization and does not adhere to the principles on which the Committee of 48 attempted to build a national party.

REDS FREE DETROIT SOLDIER

Corporal of 339th, Prisoner 17 Months, Arrives in Finland.

Viborg, Finland.—After 17 months in Soviet Russia, where he was twice wounded and captured by the Bolsheviks on the Archangel front, March 1, 1918, Corporal Arthur Prince, 339th U. S. Infantry, arrived at the Finnish frontier July 31. On board the train with Corp. Prince, whose home is in Detroit, came 300 French, Danish and Swedish refugees from Russia, who are being repatriated by their governments.

Corp. Prince was one of four Americans sent out on this refugee train by the Bolshevik authorities in Moscow. Among the other Americans who arrived were two correspondents, who crossed Russia from Vladivostok, and Mrs. Emily Sarman, of New York, a refugee from Samara.

Thirty other Americans assembled in Moscow from various points in Russia and Siberia, are awaiting permission of the Soviet to leave, all anxious for the American Government to take steps to obtain their release. Seventeen months ago, traversing frozen North Russia, 250 verst south-east of Archangel, over a snow shoe trail four feet in snow, Corp. Prince and his patrol of seven other Yanks were ambushed by the Bolsheviks.

Corp. Prince was hit in the knee, his leg was broken at the hip and another bullet struck him in the side as he was crawling toward the American line. The corporal was captured and placed on a sleigh which started on a 250-verst trip requiring five days of zero weather. To Koltas, without knowledge of what forces had made him prisoner or their language.

PONZI EXPLAINS HIS METHODS

Finance Wizard Says International Coupons Net Huge Profits.

Boston.—Charles Ponzi, "financial wizard," last week announced he would open up his new business in a \$100,000,000 corporation with headquarters here. The corporation, he said, would control a chain of banks and steamship lines and would be an importing and exporting business.

He repeated his profits were made in international reply coupons, declared that he could now take in \$500,000 a day dealing in them, despite the new postal agreements.

"It is easily done, if you know how. At the time when the exchange rates were the lowest, I would send \$10,000 over to Europe and less than a month later that money would increase to \$400,000. Of course I did not get the entire \$400,000 as my agents in Europe went 50-50 with me. I made \$200,000, however, on coupon buying and selling."

FIVE DEAD IN ILLINOIS RIOTS

Following Murder of 2 Boys Mob Drives Foreigners From Town.

Marion, Ill.—Five are dead, scores injured, the foreign section of West Frankfort, a Franklin County mining town, is a mass of burned ruins caused by a mob of 5,000 that seized control of the municipal government. The outbreak occurred last Thursday following the finding of the mutilated bodies of two kidnapped boys who had been slain because it was believed they knew the identity of a gang of foreigners who stole \$300,000 in a series of bank robberies in this section of the state.

Finding the bodies of Amiel Calcaterra, 19 years old, and Tony Hennepel, 18 years old, buried in shallow graves, led to the arrest of Settimo De Senis, who was spirited away from the jail at Marion near West Frankfort, when county officials learned of the approach of a mob.

Old Mileage Books Become Invalid. Washington.—Return tickets and mileage books bought before higher fares become effective will not be valid when the new schedules go into effect Aug. 20. An order is expected permitting the railroads to refund the amount of the return coupons or future mileage or commutation books or that passengers may use them on payment of the additional rate. Unless some such method is adopted tickets could be purchased for future use in large quantities.

Canadian Rail Rates Will Increase. Montreal.—The Canadian railways will increase freight and passenger rates on movements to and from the United States on August 26. The increase, according to a statement from the offices of the railway association of Canada, will be 25 to 40 per cent on freight, 20 per cent on passenger fares, and 50 per cent on sleeping car fares. Application for the approval has been filed to become effective August 26 simultaneously with the enforcement of new U. S. rates.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Stray Bullet Hits Lad In Ear.

Standish, Mich.—While playing in a yard of Isaac Nixon, here, Stanislaw Sinkiewicz, a Polish lad, was shot through the lobe of an ear by a stray bullet from a hunter's rifle.

Jumps 80 Feet Into Cop's Path.

Jersey City, N. J.—Handcuffed to a policeman after being arrested on a charge of burglary, Nat Fabus tried a spectacular escape by leaping over a 50-foot cliff along which he was being led. However he landed directly at the feet of two Hoboken policemen, who promptly rearrested him.

Claims Hen's Egg of Record Size.

Oshkosh, Wis.—A single-comb Rhode Island Red chicken belonging to George Kilboy laid an egg that weighed a quarter of a pound and is 8 1/4 inches around, from end to end, and 7 inches in circumference. All of the flock lay eggs of larger size than ordinary and several times a dozen eggs have averaged two pounds.

Crooks Passing Confederate Money.

Berlin.—American Confederate currency in large quantities has been discovered in circulation in Berlin and other parts of Germany. Outlawed paper money has found ready takers among the unsuspecting, who have rapidly exchanged it for marks at current rates. One merchant is known to have given 28,000 marks for a bundle of Confederate bills.

Eighteen Pound Fish Caught.

Pontiac.—After a three-quarter of an hour struggle William H. Speaker, landed the biggest fish ever caught on Elizabeth Lake, near Pontiac. The fish was a gar pike, which weighed 18 pounds and was 5 1/2 feet long. William Montgomery, game warden, to whom the fish was taken, told Mr. Speaker the fish was 25 years old and consumed 20 to 25 pounds of live fish a day.

Can't Stop Cider's "Kick" Say Makers.

New York.—Westchester county apple cider manufacturers, appealing from the refusal of Prohibition Commissioner Kramer to permit them to manufacture cider of more than 1.2 of 1 per cent alcohol content, declared they were powerless to control the "kick" in the product after it was stored in barrels. They asked the court to take judicial cognizance of that fact.

Buyers Own Coffin and Tombstone.

Raleigh, N. C.—Declaring he believed in preparedness Rufus Powell, a Wake County farmer has virtually completed all arrangements for his own funeral except digging the grave in which his body will be buried. He has already purchased his coffin and the tombstone to go over his mound. Mr. Powell, who is 72 years old, is in robust health and works 14 hours daily, he says.

Record Grape Crops Expected.

Benton Harbor, Mich.—Although last year's grape crop in Southwest Michigan set a new mark in the matter of quality and quantity, this season's crop should surpass it. Fruit men throughout the territory say. Difficulty in obtaining containers has caused considerable worry. It is possible, the growers say, that grapes will be packed in barrels because of the basket shortage.

Finds Four Foot Snake In Bed.

Mayville, N. Y.—Soon after retiring, Mrs. Monroe Harrington, Portage Road, felt something crawl over her body. Calling her husband, an inspection of the bed was made, revealing a black snake measuring four feet four inches. Mrs. Harrington said she had the bed tick in the yard, and the reptile apparently crawled through an opening in the tick and was carried into the house.

Canary Given Royal Funeral.

Newark, N. J.—The scriptural assurance that sparrows shall not fall unnoticed was given tangible application to a pet canary bird recently. Jimmie, the little songster, choked to death on a watermelon seed, and so grief stricken was his owner, Emilio Russomanno, a 65-year-old cobbler, that friends contributed \$200 for a funeral, including a hearse, five mourners' coaches and a 15 piece band.

Lives Day After Heart Stops.

St. Louis.—After having been kept alive with a pulmotor for 24 hours, Robert Stansbury, 16, died at the city hospital. The boy had undergone an operation for an ear affection. While on the operating table he stopped breathing. His heart continued to function and a pulmotor was brought. Physicians at the hospital asserted their belief that this is the longest time in which a pulmotor has been used continuously.

Long, Hard Winter Is Forecast.

Lancaster, Pa.—Snowstorms are coming! Real blizzards! Br-r-r-r! That is, of course, next winter. This, according to an old lumberman, who pointed to the antics of the very industrious bee, indicating preparation for one of the hardest winters in years. The bees which generally build their homes in the ground or a rotten log, are forsaking their natural haunts and taking to the topmost branches of tall trees—a sure sign, says the lumberman, of heavy blizzards.

Army Does Not Want Convicts.

Washington.—Allis Taylor, a 17-year-old North Carolina boy, sentenced to a year in prison for bootlegging and to whom Governor Bickett extended a pardon last week on condition that he enlist in the army or navy, will not be allowed to take advantage of his opportunity, according to a statement by Adjutant General Harris. "Neither the army nor the navy is permitted to accept any man for enlistment, who has done time. Our army is no refuge for convicts."

COX CALLS LEAGUE ISSUE PARAMOUNT

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE THROWS FIGHT ON PACT INTO CAMPAIGN.

NOT OPPOSED TO AMENDMENTS

Condemns Lodge Reservations—Says Congress Has Power to Change Dry Act—Will of People Rules.

Dayton, O.—Before a crowd of nearly 50,000 people gathered in the Montgomery county fair grounds from every part of the Ohio last Saturday formally accepted the Democratic presidential nomination and set forth the issues on which he will go to the voters for election.

He declared the League of Nations not merely the paramount question of the campaign, but "the supreme purpose of the campaign," and pledged himself to its prompt ratification. He admitted the necessity of clarifying reservations, but condemned any notification that would impair the vital principles of the treaty.

He condemned the Lodge reservations and assailed the Republican peace plan as "unadulterated dishonesty." Arrant madness or attempted international bossism, he called it. He did not, as some of his auditors expected, declare for liberalization of the Volstead act, but indicated that the power to change the prohibition enforcement law rested with congress, the control of which, he informed the crowd, was in the hands of the people. An official who would promise to wink at the law, he declared, would be false to his oath of office and more unworthy than the law violator himself.

He promised to abolish the excess profits tax and to cut down taxes generally. At the same time he pledged his party to the reduction of government expenditures below the \$4,000,000 mark annually.

The chief remedies for the high cost of living were the betterment of marketing facilities co-operative buying and selling, and the improvement of transportation.

He roundly denounced profiteers and bluntly charged that they were contributing vast sums to the Republican campaign fund for no other purpose than to gain freedom to continue their illegal profit-taking.

WAR CLOUDS THREATEN AGAIN

German Aid to Soviet Brings Another Crisis in Europe's Affairs.

Washington.—Latest reports from France and England state that the Allies plan an invasion of Germany if the Germans do not withdraw their aid from the Russian Soviet government.

An interchange of views is in progress, between the United States and the French and British governments in an attempt, officials said, to map out a course of action.

The threatened political and economic collapse of Poland and reaction of similar gravity anticipated in states adjacent to the new republic, officials described the situation as approaching a point where self interest would prompt the United States to take action.

Included among steps which the United States might find itself compelled to take, officials suggested extension of credits to Poland to permit the purchase of surplus war material, a declaration of moral support for Poland and a warning to the soviet government not to trespass further beyond its boundaries. Military aid, it was added could be considered only if all else failed.

The view was expressed that the threat of a nullification of the victory over Germany was contained in the understanding said to exist between soviet Russia and Germany and that this offered sufficient provocation for action by the United States.

CAR RUNS WILD, 25 PEOPLE HURT

Pontiac Car Turns Over At Bottom of Hill When Brakes Fail.

Pontiac, Mich.—Twenty-five persons were taken to the Pontiac city hospital with more or less serious injuries, as a result of an accident to an interurban car here at 10 o'clock Saturday night. The brakes failed to work, it is said, and the car, loaded with passengers from Detroit, coasted down Saginaw street as it entered Pontiac, leaving the rails at the bottom and turning over on its side.

On its wild plunge down the grade, the car crashed into two automobiles, wrecking them and as it reached the Michigan Air line crossing, it is supposed the derailleur force the car from the rails. It turned over immediately.

Poultry Best Hopper Remedy.

Bay City.—Michigan can be rid of grasshoppers if raising of poultry, preferably turkeys and ducks, is increased, in the opinion of T. F. Marston, secretary of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau. "By actual count a hungry duck will eat 20 hoppers a minute and keep this up for 30 minutes without resting," he said. "If a duck feeds but four hours a day it means nearly 5,000 hoppers destroyed every 24 hours by a single bird."

Clothing Manufacturers Lay Off Help.

New York.—Several clothing manufacturers in this city reported a reduction in their working forces because of lack of orders and "general conditions in the trade." Schwartz and Jaffe, Inc., employing more than 4,000 workmen, announced 24 per cent of their employees were ordered not to report this morning. Leaders in the clothing industry said they were not alarmed by failure of the retail trade to place large orders and expected a stabilization of market soon.

The Man Who Wasn't Himself

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"I DON'T BELIEVE IT."

SYNOPSIS.—Allighting from a train at Denver a well-dressed traveler is familiarly accosted by a man about his own age. The traveler ignores the advance. A few minutes later he is greeted as "Will" by an elderly lady and gentleman, who stop their auto to speak. He imagines it a case of mistaken identity and announces himself as "Richard Clinton," on his way to the coast. The couple appear greatly surprised, and learning he is to be in town until midnight, the lady, introducing herself as Mrs. Kirkland, and her husband as Doctor Kirkland, invites him to dinner, explaining the action by his truly remarkable resemblance to a friend of theirs. He accepts. At the Kirkland home he meets a young lady who greets him as her fiancé. She is Ellen Kirkland, and plainly is greatly hurt by his assertion that he is Richard Clinton. At dinner Clinton learns that his host is a medical specialist and that he is believed to be "Will Lowrie," a young man who had been suffering from a nervous breakdown and had gone east for medical treatment. Lowrie had had in his possession bonds of the value of \$200,000, belonging to the bank where he was employed, which have disappeared and of which he has no recollection. With Doctor Kirkland Clinton goes to the Lowrie home, the doctor being satisfied that Amy Lowrie, Will's sister, will convince Clinton he is really Lowrie, suffering from loss of memory. Amy declares at once he is her brother, and insists on treating him as such, to his great embarrassment. Doctor Kirkland sends a telegram to the sanitarium where Lowrie is undergoing treatment. Ellen and Amy try in vain to convince Clinton he is Will Lowrie. They manage, however, to prevent his going. Bemm, a suitor of Amy and an agent of the bank, moves in the matter of the missing bonds. The sanitarium telegram proves nothing.

CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

"Karl! It's not possible you can mean?"

"I do not say, as yet. It may be due to subconscious impulse—his opposition to Charlie before he went East."

"But this is frightful!"

"I give it as a possibility," said the physician. "Stop and consider, my dear. Suppose him what he believes himself to be—a stranger to us all."

"I cannot!"

"You must. As a double personality, he is in effect a stranger. To avert this possibility of a disaster, he must be led to choose Ellen."

"Ah!"

"You see now that it is a matter of greater urgency than we thought—not merely a question of trying to recall."

"Yes, yes! Amy is fond of Charlie. If we can get her out of the way for a while—"

"Sit still until I let you know."

Rising leisurely, Mrs. Kirkland went into the library. Bemm was taking in the winning trick of a game. She smiled and shook her finger at him.

"How have you done it? You've won every time, in spite of Amy. It's wonderful luck."

"All due to my partner," replied Bemm. "She is the best of luck."

Amy jumped up to curtsy.

"Really, my dear, I did not come in to—"

"But if you wish a change," murmured Mrs. Kirkland, and she took the girl's place at the card table. She met Bemm's attempt at a cordial smile with a look of playful severity. "No, you shall have no more chances to defeat poor Will and Ellen."

"Er—to be sure, if Doctor Kirkland wishes to play," said Bemm, and he rose with alacrity.

Doctor Kirkland stopped in the doorway and stood waiting. His wife had gathered up the cards and was quietly shuffling them. Amy, who had drawn aside closely followed by Bemm, looked at Clinton and Ellen with a sudden change from merriment to grave delight.

Bemm caught the opportunity of her softened mood. "There's a full moon," he challenged. "Dare you to go out in the garden?"

"You think I'm afraid of the glamour?" she whispered. "I'll show you."

Clinton settled back in his chair and took up the cards dealt him by Mrs. Kirkland. Doctor Kirkland had taken Bemm's place. Soon all four players were intent on the game. Clinton gave closer attention to the cards and played better than when pitted against Bemm.

Evident as it was to her as well as to her parents that he still regarded her as a comparative stranger, Ellen was blissfully happy. Every time Clinton looked at her she blushed and smiled entrancingly. Under his gaze, her eyes, melting with tenderness, veiled themselves behind their long lashes, but at no time seemed able to turn away from him more than a moment. Though usually a better player than her mother, she was so overcome with ecstasy that she chose her cards at random.

As Doctor Kirkland announced the score, Clinton suddenly tore his gaze away from Ellen, and rose from the table, his face for the second time flushed and conscience-stricken.

"Pardon me, I—it is not right!" he exclaimed. "I must go—"

"Away!" cried Ellen.

"No, only—"

He pointed upwards, and hurried out into the hall, to rush upstairs.

Instead of intruding upon old Tillie's domain, Amy and Bemm had gone out through the porte-cochère. The grape-thatched pergola was ghostly dark. Amy darted ahead and out into the moonlit garden.

"I say," remarked Bemm when he overtook her, "what made you run away from me?"

"Run away?" she replied. "Is that the thanks I get for leading you out of the darkness?"

"I might have been lost."

"Poor Charley! But just so you did not lose your head!"

"It is on, fast and level. The proof of it is that I have lost something else to you!"

"How bright the moon shines!" she bantered.

"Miss—Amy," he hesitated, "you know that for months there has been something I've wanted to tell you."

"Oh, look; there's a star up there," she teased.

"Look at me, and I'll see the brightest of all the stars!" he declared.

"How poetic! We shall now hear Mr. Charley Bemm declaim his so-lovely ode to the silly night."

"Why do you keep ragging me?" he complained. "You know I'm in earnest; that is—"

"Really?—really and truly?"

"Don't!" he burst out passionately. "Can't you see? If I were only flirting you'd not have such an advantage. But when for almost two years—You know I love you! You know that you're the only one!"

Again he sought to clasp her hand. Again she eluded him. But her look had sobered. She no longer regarded him with a teasing glance and bantering smile.

"I am sorry, Charley," she said. "I did not believe you could be so serious."

"Not serious?" he rejoined. "Just because I like to enjoy things—as you do!"

"But I am only a girl. It's different when a man—"

"Is there any one else?" he interrupted.

"No," she candidly answered. "There is no young man I like better than you—except, of course, Will."

He smiled with renewed hope. "Only your brother? Then I, of all the fellows who—Amy, do you love me! You must love me!"

"Don't be silly, just because I said I liked you."

"If you like me you'll soon learn to love me."

"I'm sure I don't know."

"You'll try. Promise me you'll try."

She looked at him, her eyebrows peaked with doubt. "You so sorry, Charley," she replied. "Really I don't know what to say. Since Will came home I've—I've felt rather different."

Bemm frowned and rejoined in an almost blistering tone: "Then he has been knocking me?"

It was the girl's turn to flush. "Mr. Bemm, you forget yourself. You are speaking of my brother."

"You are mistaken. It's he that forgets himself. He forgets—"

"Need you remind me? It's—it's bad enough without your reminding me! He so kind as to stand aside. I am going in."

"Not until I have told you how he forgot his best interests."

"I asked you to stand aside."

"Oh, certainly, by all means," said Bemm, and he sprang out of the way.

His tone and manner caused Amy to pause. She looked at him, between anger and uncertainty. "There's something—you're hinting at something about Will," she accused.

Her upturned face was white and troubled. He stared at her doubtfully.

"I'm not so sure," he hesitated. "It's a big risk for me to say anything about it now. If it were not for you—"

"Never mind me!"

"Then he can go hang, for all I care."

"What do you mean?"

He struck a match, lighted a cigarette, puffed at it nervously and flung it down. "If you want to know—I'm risking everything by telling you, but here goes! This afternoon—the day it happened to hear that a key was found in Will's clothes—a safe deposit key. The right box was located in the vaults of the—of one of the safe deposit companies."

"O-o-h!" the girl sighed rapturously. "They've found the lost bonds!"

"I said they found the box—it was empty."

"Empty?" she gasped.

"Yes—Now do you see?"

"You say empty? Yet how—why should he—"

"He has forty thousand dollars on deposit in a Chicago bank."

"It cannot be!"

"It's true. I have it from—a friend who telegraphed on and learned the facts."

"Doctor Kirkland?"

"Not he. Some one else—one who may make trouble for Will. Unfortunately there can be no question as to the facts. The bonds are gone, and there is that forty thousand on deposit under this—assumed name."

"Assumed! You know it's because of the change in him—the dissociation! You know that a state he was in even before he went away—forgetting everything."

"He may have difficulty in proving that, even with the help of Doctor Kirkland, if it all comes out."

"How do you mean?—If it all comes out."

Bemm moved closer to the quivering girl and lowered his voice: "It all depends on me, Amy. I can keep quiet about facts that would affect Doctor Kirkland's testimony. Without those facts, Will need only return the bonds, or the money he obtained from their disposal. The doctor will make affidavit to the bank that he took them while irresponsible; and the matter will be hushed up without any publicity."

"You can do that, Charley?"

"I will if—"

"Oh, you dear boy!" she cried, impulsively clasping his hand.

"Amy! You'll take me!" he exclaimed.

She thrust herself free from the arm that he was slipping about her.

"Don't!" she exclaimed. "It looks too

much as if—as if you fished to make a bargain."

"Bargain?" he muttered.

"Wishing me to—to let you kiss me because you are going to help Will."

"Why not?" he asked. "If I agree to help him—I am the only one who can."

She looked at him, pale but clear-eyed and very calm, and replied deliberately: "I do not believe it."

"What?" he queried, completely taken aback.

"I do not believe it," she repeated.

Before he could recover his aplomb she had walked past him. She disappeared into the back porch without looking about.

CHAPTER VIII.

A Hairbreadth Escape.

Soon after Clinton's flight Doctor Kirkland had been summoned to the sanitarium. When Amy came in by way of the dining room Ellen was pensively watching her mother play solitaire. She looked up and, mistaking the cause of the color in Amy's cheeks, asked delightedly: "Oh, what is it, dear. Has Charlie—?"

"The silly! He made me dreadfully cross!" petulantly replied Amy. She glanced into the parlor, and her vexation suddenly gave place to alarm.

"Where is Will? Surely you've not let him go off?"

"No, no, my dear, not even with the doctor," reassured Mrs. Kirkland. "He has gone up to his room."

A few moments later Clinton, brooding heavily over his plight, heard a tap at his door. He frowned. The tap became a rap. He called in a brusque tone: "Well, what is it?"

"Me!" came back a soft whisper.

"Miss Lowrie—you?" he replied.

"What do you want?"

"Let me in."

He glanced in consternation at his stockinged feet and bare arms.

"I—I must beg you to excuse me," he stammered. "You see, I'm not—that is, I'm about to retire."

"No, no, no!" the whisper shrilled in protest. "I must have a talk with you! If you don't let me in I shall scream!"

"Not that, not that," he called back. "Wait a moment. I'll be out at once."

He dived into the closet to seize the lounging robe, which he slipped on as he hurried to the door. He slid back the bolt. Instantly the door was thrust in against him. Amy popped

"The mark on your arm below the elbow."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HAD BRIEF DAY OF FAME

Beautiful Paisley Shawl Achieved Immense Popularity, but Only for a Short Time.

The story of the Paisley shawl—a specimen, I hear, has just been presented to Lady Bonham-Carter—forms one of the shortest and most romantic chapters in the modern history of industry, says a writer in the Westminster Gazette. The manufacture of these beautiful things was begun, reached a great height of prosperity and became extinct in the space of a little over eighty years. No Paisley shawl has been woven since 1830, and none is likely ever to leave the looms again. The shawl had its origin in the ambition of the Paisley weavers to produce on the loom the amazingly elaborate patterns, woven by the needle, of the Cashmere shawls that had been sent home from the East by Scottish officers and traders to their women folk.

The Paisley weavers were notable craftsmen, and they produced a shawl which excelled its prototype in beauty of design and richness of color. Their success was the reward of patience, skill, taste and a delicacy of touch which, experts say, has probably never been equaled before or since in the weaving craft. A common price for one of these shawls in the days when they were not a rarity was \$100, and they were worn by women of all classes in Scotland except the very poor. Then fashion decreed that the Paisley shawl should no longer be the mode, and its fate was sealed. Queen Victoria gave the dying industry a new, but brief, lease of life when she bought seventeen of the famous shawls and wore one at the baptism of the prince who was to become King Edward.

Church's Legislative Bodies.

The church of England has two legislative bodies, called convocations, which attend to ecclesiastical matters. Each convocation, that of York and that of Canterbury, contains two houses. The upper house is composed of bishops and other dignitaries, and the lower house is made up of deans, archdeacons and delegates, who are elected whenever a new parliament is chosen.

In Common Things.

A man must invest himself near at hand and in common things, and be content with a steady and moderate return, if he would know the blessedness of a cheerful heart and the sweetness of a walk over the round earth.

—John Burroughs.

Advantages of Jazz.

"You seem to be very fond of jazz music, Mr. Ulrich."

"Yes, I like it best of all. You don't have to put on formal attire when you listen to it; nobody asks you who wrote it, and you don't have to pretend you understand it."—Everybody's Magazine.

Perfect for the College Girl



It is certain that one-piece dresses for street wear are to rival suits during the coming fall and winter, and they may achieve leadership in the beginning of the season. Quite as certainly every fall wardrobe will contain one or more of these neat, convenient and economical garments. They are of the same character as suits, made of the same materials and adorned with the same trimmings. This makes it easy for the thrifty to convert a last year's suit into a this year's dress. An ingenious seamstress enjoys this remodeling of gowns and will find a variety of styles, ranging from very plain dresses to those that allow touches of bright color and the introduction of clever draperies, which she can follow in her work. It is refreshing to have these changes in everyday clothes and substitutes for suits. Combinations of two materials, as satin and wool in the same color, solve the problem of sufficient material in made-over dresses.

The frock shown here will hardly tax the abilities of the average seamstress. Its skirt is straight-hanging, with rows of silk braid encircling it at intervals of about five inches and ma-

chine stitched, on one edge, to place. It is joined to a plain bodice at the waistline and has a narrow panel set on at the left side over the ends of the braid. Satin covered, round buttons, set on in pairs, make a telling finish for this panel and the skirt may be taken as a criterion as to length.

The bodice has several details that are interesting. It opens at the side and on the shoulder, closing with snap fasteners. The sleeves are a little longer than elbow length and depend upon braid for their adornment, having no cuffs. Braid redeems the lower part of the bodice from uninteresting plainness and a close-set row of small satin-covered buttons extends from the braid to the throat. The collar is very new, being a wide ruche of accordion plaited material like the dress, banded by a tie of narrow ribbon finished with a rosette at the left side. A wide girde is made of satin ribbon having a single long loop at the back; but the girde may be of the same material as the dress and finished at the left side, where it fastens with satin-covered buttons. This is a little more practical than a sash end.

What Late Summer Discloses



ONE thing distinguishes this particular summer from others that have recently preceded it, and that thing is its late summer millinery. August discloses hats that have no hint of autumn in them, hats that belong to the heart of summertime and none that are out of time with it. The foolish practice of introducing wintry looking velvet headwear in the dog days has been abandoned and let us hope it has passed to that bourne of out-grown follies from which no imbecile fancy ever returns.

It seems unnecessary for designers to attempt to add to their laurels, for there has been so much to admire in this season's millinery. And they have not made any radical new departure, but have delighted in taking the materials at hand and emphasizing those features in the season's styles that show most vitality.

Two of the four hats pictured in the group above, proclaim the revival of ostrich plumes. One of them, at the top of the group, is of lace, with a long, slightly curled plume encircling it. The other is a narrow-brimmed straw shape with short uncured single feathers drooping over the crown; both are summery, cool-looking models.

At the right, an off-the-face shape of straw braid and narrow picot-edged ribbon has a row of small bows made of the ribbon for its adornment. This is a hat that will be worn into the fall in a shape that we shall meet again in winter millinery.

The hat of black georgette at the left of the picture is typical of the styles in mourning millinery. Its narrow brim is faced with white georgette and smooth folds applied to it very neatly from large disks on the crown and brim. The long, square-meshed veil has tiny squares instead of dots woven in it and a border of georgette. There is nothing burdensome or oppressive looking in this handsome model in which the designer has achieved an unusually successful hat while exercising much reticence in the use of mourning materials.

Julia Bottomly

Favored at Palm Beach. The tangerine is a very much favored color in Palm Beach.

Three Piece Suit.

A three piece costume is always expensive if made of good material and smartly trimmed, whether made by the tailors or bought ready to wear, but it will usually prove that it is not an expensive suit or an extravagance before the end of the season, because it is just exactly what it seems to be a two-piece affair. The owner may have the frock part of the costume as dressy and as dainty as she desires, with the practically all enveloping coat ready to transform the whole into a

costume for street wear, while the dress is suitable for afternoon or even for evening functions.

Fur-Trimmed Blouses.

Some unique fur-trimmed blouses have been designed to go with the three-piece suit. Of this sort of costume, the blouse is not the least important, for the band of fur at the bottom of the blouse gives the appearance of being a band across the coat. A collar is also managed in the same way.

DAIRY FACTS

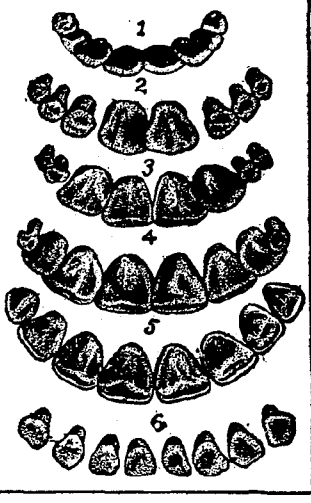
AGE OF CATTLE DETERMINED

Each Year Leaves Its Mark on Grinders of Animal, Gradually Wearing to Stubs.

The age of cattle can be approximately determined by the appearance, development and subsequent wear of their second incisor teeth, according to Farmers' Bulletin 1090 just issued by the United States department of agriculture.

Cattle have eight incisor teeth, all in the lower jaw. In the calf at birth two or more of the temporary or first incisor teeth are present. With the first month the entire eight incisors have appeared. Each of the six stages in the development of the teeth is shown in the bulletin by illustrations which will be very helpful to the person desirous of becoming proficient in judging the age of cattle.

As the animal approaches two years of age the center pair of temporary in-



(1) Internal Face of Incisors of Calf. (2) At Two Years. (3) At Three Years. (4) At Four Years. (5) At Five Years. (6) At Twelve Years.

Incisor teeth or pinchers are replaced by the permanent pinchers, which at two years attain full development.

At from two and one-half to three years the permanent first intermediates are cut and are usually fully developed at three years.

At three and one-half years the second intermediates or laterals are cut. They are on a level with the first intermediates and begin to wear at four years.

At four and one-half to five years the corner teeth are replaced, the animal at five years having the full complement of incisors with the corners fully developed.

At five to six years there is a leveling of the permanent pinchers, the pinchers usually being leveled at six and both pairs of intermediates partially leveled and the corner incisors showing wear.

From seven to eight the pinchers are noticeably worn; from eight to nine the middle pairs; and by ten years the corner teeth.

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She'll Thrill A Million At Annual State Fair



This young lady is Ethel Dare who has proven girls have just as much sand as men by doing such stunts as changing from one plane to another 1,000 feet in the air while both are traveling 90 miles an hour. She is expected to thrill a million people at the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 3-12.

One year ago millions of persons all over America at various times were thrilled by seeing daring aviators loop the loop, and do tail spins and other stunts which then seemed the very acme of foolhardiness. Since then however a slip of a girl and two men have made such stunts in the air seem as commonplace as taking a ride behind an old fashioned carriage horse in a country lane.

Ethel Dare walks all over an airplane traveling 90 miles an hour 1,000 feet in the air. After doing a few other stunts such as swinging from a trapeze bar under the plane she crowns her program by standing up on the upper wing of one plane, seizing a rope ladder suspended from another plane flying above her and climbs up into the second machine.

Miss Dare is to be one of the star performers in the aviation day program at the Michigan State Fair which will be held Sept. 5. She also will appear on other days with other aerial acrobats during the 10 days of the fair from Sept. 3 to 12.

Harry McLaughlin and M. L. Tinner, the latter a Detroit boy, are the other two who have found a new way to thrill crowds with stunts in an airplane. Both will appear with Miss Dare on aviation day and both also have been booked to do stunts on other days of the fair.

McLaughlin, who gained considerable fame by being Roosevelt's physical instructor and boxing companion in the White House, swings by his teeth from a rope suspended from the bottom of a plane, does many hair raising tricks on a trapeze and winds up his stunts by hanging himself by the feet on a 50 foot rope suspended from the lower side of a plane.

Beauty Chats

By EDNA KENT FORBES

CHINS AND NECKS

A GREAT number of women write, asking ways to reduce a double chin. Of course, general reduction all over the body will strip the extra flesh from under the chin, but many women are too easy going in nature to want to reduce. Then, many carry their heads hanging down so the chin droops, and the flesh forms a little bag beneath the chin.

A very good way to overcome this is by exercising. Tilting the head far back, then forward, repeating several times is one good method of working



An old time standard exercise for beauty.

off the loose flabby tissue. Another is to roll the head round and round over the shoulders, although this exercise is better for keeping the neck in good condition. Massage with the fingers, rolling and pinching the flesh lightly, especially after a hot wash when the skin is soft and moist, will help destroy some of the tissue. No cold cream should ever be used under the chin, as this helps to build flesh.

Some women are bothered with double chins, while the rest of the body is quite slender. Usually these women hold their head low, the chin sagging forward. The double effect can be cured by getting the habit of holding the head higher, with the chin out, and by sleeping on the back, without a pillow.

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"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for stomach trouble, biliousness and constipation off and on for the past ten years. I have never seen their equal yet. They strengthened my digestion, relieved me of headaches and had a mild pleasant action on my bowels. I take pleasure in recommending them" writes H. D. F. Parmenter, Cridersville, Ohio. Adv.

NOTICE.

I have recovered a boat from above the Electric light dam. Owner may have same by proving property and paying salvage claims. 8-12-3. J. B. Rosenstand

STATE FAIR PLANS FUR ANIMAL SHOW

FARMERS TO BE SHOWN POSSIBILITIES OF UTILIZING WASTE GROUND AND FATTENING THEIR POCKETBOOKS.

EXPERTS TO GIVE ADVICE AND EXHIBIT ANIMALS

G. W. Dickinson, secretary-manager of the Michigan State Fair, in line with his policy of offering to the people of Michigan in the great exposition they own at Detroit as many things of real constructive benefit to the state and its citizens as possible, this year has arranged to have presented at the fair Sept. 3-12 an exhibit of fur bearing animals. Efforts will be made to show the farmers of the state just how they can benefit by raising fur bearing animals and experts will be present to lecture and give advice.

"Nearly every farm," said Mr. Dickinson, "has some waste land which can be put to practical use by raising fur animals and which can be made to pay a big profit. Obtaining furs by domesticating the animals also does away with the shame that is attached to catching them in traps where they must die slowly and in agony. Fred C. Felerabend, vice-president of the National Fur Breeders' Association, is to have charge of the exhibit and will be there all the time to assist those who might be interested in raising fur bearing animals when they learn of the possibilities offered."

The exhibit will contain these animals: 10 pairs of black and silver fox, two pairs of red fox, two pairs of cross fox, one pair of blue fox, one pair of white fox, one colony of 12 skunks, one colony of 12 coons, one colony of beaver, one colony of 12 muskrats, one colony of mink, two pairs of weasels, one pair of martin, one pair of ermine, one pair of sable, one pair of wolves, one pair of badgers, two pairs of woodchucks, two pairs of gray squirrels, one pair of black squirrels, two pairs of fox squirrels, one pair of cub bears and two pair of deer.

Fair's Baby Show Makes Her Queen

This little lady was a queen for a day last year and thousands of Michigan people bowed down in homage before her. She was one of the first prize winners at the Michigan State Fair baby show. Eileen's home is at Birmingham, Mich. She is expected to be entered in the baby show again this year.

The State Fair baby show draws the interest of all Michigan each year. Hundreds of babies have been enter-



EILEEN LANE PINE.

ed already this year and the entries do not close until Sept. 1. Besides the chance of their babies winning the honor of being declared the best baby in Michigan, parents have the opportunity of obtaining free at the show a complete physical examination, for their children. Dr. E. P. Mills who will be in charge of the judging this year will issue to each mother a card showing in detail the exact physical condition of her child.

TROTTERS AND PACERS TO GO AT STATE FAIR

Trotters and pacers are to return into their own at the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 3-12. Two days, Sept. 6 and 11, have been set aside for horse racing. It is believed the best horses on the Michigan short ship circuit will be entered.

Races will be held on the half-mile track in front of the grand stand and special inducements are being made in the way of fat purses to bring out the fastest half-milers.

More than a month before the day set for the opening of the Michigan State Fair this year, Sept. 3, all of the concession space had been taken.

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SELECT OFFICIALS PURELY ON MERIT

VOTERS SOMETIMES TAKE IT IN TO THEIR MINDS THAT THIS IS THE PROPER METHOD.

In the eighty odd years of its existence, Michigan has had twenty-six governors many of whom were selected by the people purely upon their fitness by training and official experience to fill that exalted position. The voters when they select the Republican nominee for Governor this year on August 31st will have an opportunity to follow this plan. Frederick C. Martindale, one of the candidates and a native son of Michigan, knows



FREDERICK C. MARTINDALE.

the public institutions of the state from actual experience. He served terms in both branches of the legislature; he was Secretary of State for three terms, which office carried with it the chairmanship of the Board of State Auditors, thereby dealing directly with every department of state government. Mr. Martindale has also served on the Public Domain commission, thusly understanding the problem of our undeveloped millions of acres; also on the State Parks commission. It was this extended knowledge of the business affairs of Michigan that caused the friends of Mr. Martindale from every part of the state to request his candidacy for Governor at a time when progressive ideas are needed in governmental affairs and a man of experience at the helm.

Mr. Martindale was born on a farm in Wayne county and has been a real farmer in all that the word implies. He tilled the soil in the early days when the hours of labor were long and remuneration small and still today owns quite a tract of land in Oakland county which is farmed directly under his supervision. Here he spends a major portion of his time during the busy season. Mr. Martindale is a member of the Farm Bureau in his community and county and recognizes the fact that the great agricultural problems of the future must be solved through organization and co-operation. With one-third of the lands of Michigan now idle and that acreage increasing yearly, the consuming public may think this a good time to consider such qualifications when considering the Michigan governorship this year.

The platform upon which the name of Fred Martindale is being presented to the voters of Michigan by his friends includes the development of good highways, the improvement of marketing conditions in a way that will benefit both producer and consumer; also, as a means of cutting state expenses, to perfect and put into work the budget system and he makes a further pledge to consolidate the state boards and commissions wherever possible, which would mean fewer men on the salary lists, better service to the public and rendered at a lower cost to the taxpayer. To carry out these and other broad ideas a man of ability and experience in public affairs is needed for the twenty-seventh Governor of Michigan and it is consideration of his personal experiences along these lines that the friends of Mr. Martindale are going to the voters asking for his support on primary day, August 31st.

GOITRE.

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Beauty Chats

By EDNA KENT FORBES

WHAT CALORIES ARE

AS I have often said before, it isn't how much you eat, to reduce and increase flesh, but what sort of foods you eat. Certain foods contain much more fat building power than others. And the measure of such nourishment is the calorie.

If you want to reduce or increase your weight, or if you want to keep your weight at a certain point, you must find the number of calories of food which you should eat each day. To do this—weigh yourself accurately first. Find out what you should weigh, for your height and age, and multiply what you should weigh by 16. This figure is the number of calories of food that you should eat to remain at that one weight. If you are overweight, eat less than this amount; if you are underweight, eat more.

Here is the caloric value of some of our common foods:

Calories.

One slice of bread..... 70

One plate thick or cream soup..... 100

One potato, boiled or baked..... 90

One teaspoon clear soup..... 20

1 1/2 ounces lean meat..... 70

3/4 ounce fat meat..... 200

One egg..... 75

One glass milk..... 150

One oyster..... 8

One apple..... 75

One banana..... 100

One heaping teaspoon sugar..... 35

One tablespoonful ice cream..... 135

And so on. I have picked out a few of the commoner foods included in the daily diet. From these you can see that if you eat less than half your usual amount of meat, if it is fat

meat you still are getting almost three times as much fattening nourishment as though it were lean meat.

No woman who wants to reduce should touch bacon, pork, ham, or such meats. Fowls, steak, such meats as are lean, will give strength without too much fatty tissue. Oysters are a good choice, they have so little fat. Clear soups, as you can see, produce much less fat than cream soups. A breakfast of a few slices of toast with butter and one cup of coffee with three lumps of sugar and cream, has more fat in it than a full meal of reducing foods. Yet one fat woman told me she continued to gain, though that was all she ever ate for breakfast.

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NOTICE

I will give \$25.00 reward for information which will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who took from my cottage near Lovells at some time or times since the fall of 1919 certain silverware, blankets and other articles.

Information may be given to me or to Geo. L. Alexander at Grayling, Mich.

Wm. B. Mershon.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh of the Bladder. This is cured by Chamberlain's Catarrh Remedy. It is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have no fear of a cure. It is the curative power of Chamberlain's Catarrh Remedy that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

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Rachel Cribley of Beaver Dam, Ohio was sick for two years with stomach trouble and constipation, taking one medicine after another with only temporary relief. "My neighbor spoke so enthusiastically of Chamberlain's Tablets," she says "that I procured a bottle of them at our drug store to try. A few days treatment convinced me that they were just what I needed. I continued their use for several weeks and they cured me. Adv.

CHILD CURED OF BOWEL TROUBLE.

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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, AUG. 5.

Frank Tetu has announced that he will open a motion picture theatre in Oddfellow Temple about September 1st.

Mrs. Harry J. Compine and little daughter of Detroit are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Connine, and also spending some time among friends at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lamb of Bay City are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lewis at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Miss Eleanore Schumann returned home Wednesday from a seven weeks' absence, visiting relatives in New Jersey, and also in Hastings and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. M. Shanahan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Letzkus and the William Brennan family spent last week resorting at Lake Margrethe, occupying the Robert Reagan cottage.

E. L. Knapp motored up from Saginaw Sunday to accompany his wife home, the latter, who has been a guest of Mrs. J. A. Holliday for several weeks. They returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. McCullough and son, Charles, Jr., of Detroit are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. McCullough. They expect to remain for a couple of weeks.

Miss Maude Tetu came home from Bay City Thursday afternoon to visit for a couple of weeks at her home here. She was accompanied by little Francis Sauve, who is visiting at the Tetu home also.

C. J. Hathaway in a letter reports that things are coming fine in his new place of business in Pontiac. He is more than pleased with his practice which starts off greatly, better than he had expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cowell returned Friday morning from Detroit after a visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Cowell had been in that city since the middle of June, and Mr. Cowell had spent the past week there.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson and little daughter of Grand Rapids is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Johnson. Miss Helen Johnson, who has been spending several weeks in Grand Rapids returned home with her.

The Avalanche inadvertently omitted the notice of the death of George S. Dyer at Sterling early in July. Mr. Dyer will be well remembered by the older residents of Grayling as he lived here for over twenty years, and all who knew him recognized the man and greatly welcomed his frequent visits for he seemed at home to all. His oldest daughter, Cecil is the wife of Arthur Brink, who with his family have returned here from the State of Washington to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo White of Adrian, Mr. and Mrs. C. Curtis and two children of Mt. Clemens and Miss Mary Lou McLeod of Royal Oak are visiting Mrs. Clara McLeod. They drove here in their cars. Mr. White returned home first of the week.

Mrs. C. R. Kewhart entertained 20 little girls and boys Friday afternoon at their cottage at Lake Margrethe in honor of her little daughter Jane's sixth birthday anniversary. The youngsters all had a happy time and a delicious lunch. Some of the ladies present were joined by their husbands and remained for dinner and continued the party a little later.

Herbert and Ralph Oaks of Elmwood visited here the fore part of the week.

E. B. Thompson of Rolfe, Iowa, was in Grayling this week, looking after a section of land which he owns in Lovens township.

Four of our local merchants are advertising special sales this week—the Grayling Mercantile company, dry goods, clothing, gents' furnishings, and shoes; Max Landsberg, shoes and gents' furnishings; Salling Hanson company and The Simpson company, both groceries. Here is a good time to save enough money on good staple goods to pay for several years subscription to the Avalanche in advance.

Fred Welsh and family have been having as their guest the former's cousin Mr. Frank Cassell, of Unalak, Alaska. Mr. Cassell is superintendent, U. S. Bureau of education, and also manager of three co-operative stores. He says that the principal occupation in Unalak is fishing and fur gathering, the country in that region being very productive of these resources. Being in the region of the Japan ocean current the weather is very mild at that place and in the coldest season does not get below zero.

The Good Fellowship club was hostess at a "500" and sewing party Wednesday afternoon at the Officers' Club house at the Hanson Military reservation, which was most attractively decorated with baskets filled with wild flowers. There were about 70 ladies present and a most delightful afternoon was spent. The Club house is an ideal place for holding such affairs and the Good Fellowship club ladies were very happy in being able to secure it. The day was perfect and altogether the affair was most enjoyable.

Mrs. Allen H. Wetz and son Palmer of Dayton, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. James R. Robinson and son Russell Wolf, and Mr. Arthur Oliver of Decatur, Ill., arrived in Grayling the fore part of the week to enjoy the month of August at the Melntre landing at Lake Margrethe. This is an annual trip and outing that they make each year to Grayling. They are also visiting relatives in town, while here. Mrs. Wetz and son Palmer, came by way of Mackinac Island, spending a week there with friends. Mr. Wetz will join the party later.

Mrs. William Avis and son Bruce of Onoway have been visiting for the past few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hermann. When they returned home, Miss Margaret Avis who has been here for several weeks went with them.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Phelps and children of Detroit arrived last Saturday for a couple of weeks' visit with relatives, and are guests at the home of Mrs. Phelps' brother, Holger Hanson and wife Mrs. Emil Hanson and children, also of Detroit who accompanied them were guests at the Hanson home for a few days, returning home Wednesday morning.

Luther Herrick, superintendent of wood operations at the local duPont plant suffered a stroke of paralysis at his home yesterday morning and lies in a very critical condition.

Mrs. Herrick had called him to breakfast, which was about eight o'clock, and as she went back to the kitchen she heard something fall and found him in an unconscious condition on the floor beside the bed. His right side is paralyzed and he remained unconscious all day yesterday, but today seems to understand what is said to him, altho he is unable to speak. Donald Herrick arrived this morning from Detroit on account of his father's illness, and Cyrus Siv, a brother of Mrs. Herrick and Mr. Glen Siv and Miss Helen Siv came from Vanderbilt yesterday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Bates is spending a few days the guest of Miss Carrie Swaffield of Standish. She left yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raft and a friend of Bay City are visiting at the home of Mrs. Raft's sister, Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre.

The mills of Salling Hanson Co., are closed down for a couple of weeks to make repairs and to clean out the mill pond.

Charles J. Blair of Lansing and Miss Pearl White of Frederic were united in marriage this morning by Justice Emil Kraus.

Come to the Gift Shop. We are always glad to show you goods. If we haven't got what you want we are always glad to get it.

Miss Ruth Brenner, and brother, Clarence returned the fore part of the week from a three week's visit in Detroit and Chicago. Miss Schneider, a cousin, of Chicago, accompanied home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Clements, former old residents were in Grayling for a number of days visiting the former's brother, B. D. Mitchell, and also renewing acquaintances of their many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Shoger of Aurora, Ill., are visiting Postmaster Holger F. Peterson and wife. Soon they will go to Lake Margrethe for a three weeks' outing, and will occupy the Cassidy cottage.

Fr. E. J. Walters is expected to return here tonight after a week's visit with relatives in Greenville. During his absence last Sunday, Rev. Fr. VanGessel of Big Rapids celebrated the masses at St. Mary's church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sorenson are moving into their new bungalow, that has been built on the site of their old home. The house is equipped with all the modern conveniences, and is a very cozy looking building.

B. Earle Smith, who has been secured as superintendent of our local schools for this year, with his wife and two children, arrived in Grayling, Wednesday afternoon from Tecumseh. They are getting settled in the J. M. Reagan home on Chestnut street.

Mrs. Peter Madsen and little daughter, Eva arrived last Friday from Portland, Oregon, and are visiting relatives and friends, expecting to remain for a number of weeks. The Madsen family were former residents of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerome and children of Pontiac are guests at the home of Mrs. Jerome's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates. They motored here arriving Saturday night and were accompanied by Mrs. Loraine Sparkes who joined them at Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson of Everett, Washington are in the city for a couple of weeks' visit with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson at one time resided in Grayling, leaving here about 15 years ago. Mr. Anderson is a brother of Mrs. Adler Jorgenson and Mrs. James Sorenson.

M. A. Bates returned home Wednesday morning after two weeks spent in visiting and sight-seeing in the eastern states. He went to Camp Dix, New Jersey from Grayling and spent a few days with his son Emerson, who is attending West Point academy, but who was at this camp. He also spent some time visiting his father J. K. Bates at his childhood home in Coughdenov, N. Y. and on his return home was the guest of a sister at Toledo, Ohio. Mr. Bates says it is one of the most enjoyable vacation trips he ever took.

Floyd Bromwell passed away this morning at Mercy hospital at 7:30 o'clock, as the result of the accident, which befell him on the morning of July 19th, when with his father he was riding to work on a speeder on the M. & N. E. railroad. An account of the mishap appeared in the Avalanche at the time, and since then the young man has been hovering between life and death. At times he seemed to rally, but only for short intervals. Floyd Bromwell was 19 years old and the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bromwell of Riverview. His demise is a sad blow to his parents and the other members of the family, as well as his many friends. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

The funeral services of Mrs. W. F. Brink, who passed away very suddenly at her home last Wednesday afternoon, were held at the home Tuesday afternoon of this week. The services were delayed awaiting the arrival from Everett, Washington, of Arthur Brink, a son. Rev. C. E. Doty conducted the services, which were attended by numerous of the old friends and neighbors of the family, and a choir rendered many beautiful anthems during the service. Those from out-of-town who came to be in attendance were a granddaughter of the deceased, Mrs. Hardin Sweetser of New Jersey and Mrs. O. W. Rosser of Saginaw. Arthur Brink arrived Tuesday morning from the west, and his family were already here. Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Brink of Bay City arrived here soon after the lady's death.

N. L. V. S. REORGANIZED IN GRAYLING.

Thursday evening, July 29th, the members of the National League of Veterans and Sons held a meeting at the home of J. A. Holliday; at this meeting they balloted on 15 new candidates and obligated several new members. They also elected officers to fill vacancy for the balance of this year as follows:

Colonel—Edward Barber; lieutenant colonel—Frank Serven; major—Geo. Kirkendall; quartermaster—J. A. Holliday; adjutant—J. Matthiesen; chaplain—Will C. Smith; officer of the day—Herbert Parker; officer of the guard—Glen Owen; sentry—Scott Wylie; picket—Richard Lavalle.

Regular meetings will be held at the G. A. R. hall the second and fourth Monday of each month, commencing next Monday evening, Aug. 9th. All members are requested to be present as there will be important business.

The National League of Veterans and sons was re-organized, when the ladies of the National League, an auxiliary to the former order, made themselves busy by securing 15 new members to try and build up the camp. The ladies have now made the gentlemen honorary members of their organization and many pleasant affairs are being planned for the future.

CARD OF THANKS.

We appreciate the kindness of our neighbors and friends during our late bereavement and take this manner of extending our thanks and gratitude to them.

Mr. W. F. Brink,
and Family.

TO TEACHERS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY.

All teachers or prospective teachers who are planning on taking rural positions in this county would do a special favor by writing me in regard to the same.

M. E. Hoyt, Comm'r.